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Gandhian Plan Of Economic Development

AGARWAL BRINGS FORTH BROCHURE

"Establishment Of Really National Govt. At Centre Is The First Requisite"

WARDHA, October 19:—The establishment of a really National Government at the Centre is urged by Principal S. N. Agarwal, Principal, Commerce College, Wardha as the first postulate of the plan of economic development for India prepared by him in accordance with Gandhian ideals which is now complete. Mahatma Gandhi has approved the Plan and written a foreword to the brochure wherein the Plan has been published.

SUMMARY OF PLAN

The following is a summary of the Plan as given by Mr. Agarwal:

The Plan is divided into two parts. The first part points out the need for an economic plan based on Gandhian principles. After tracing the history of other plans of economic development tried in various countries like Germany, America, Russia and England it is emphasised that Gandhian ideals of simplicity, non-violence and decentralisation alone can provide us with a practical, scientific and enduring plan of economic reconstruction. The fundamentals of Gandhism are also discussed in some detail with a view to giving a clear conception of the ideological background of the Plan. The testimonials of numerous Western writers have been adduced to prove that village community system is essential not only from the economic but also from the political sociological, biological and psychological points of view.

CONCRETE DETAILS

The second part lays down concrete details of the Plan.

The objective of the Plan is to raise the material as well as the cultural level of the Indian masses to a basic standard of life within a period of ten years.

The basic requirements include food, clothing, housing, education, medical aid and recreational facilities. The present average income of the Indian people, especially in the rural areas, has been estimated at Rs. 18 per head per annum. It is pointed out that the minimum income necessary for a basic standard should be Rs. 72 per head per annum. Great stress has been laid on the resuscitation of India's ancient village communities or Gram Panchayats with, of course, necessary modifications to suit modern conditions, Planning ought to be from the bottom upwards and not from the top downwards.

Agriculture has been accorded the most prominent place in the Plan because the real prosperity of the Indian masses depends primarily on the scientific development of farming. The problems of rent, revenue land tenure, nationalisation of land, reclamation and soil erosion, irrigation, efficiency of agricultural operations and co-operation are discussed. Attention has been also drawn to the organisation of allied industries to agriculture like animal husbandry leather work, dairy farming, fruit culture, vegetable gardening and forest industries.

Next to agriculture the development of supplementary cottage industries has been specially emphasised. Sufficient space has been devoted to the organisation of Khadi industry, paper-making, oil extraction and paddy-husking. It is pointed out that the Village Communities should as far as possible be self-sufficient at least in regard to their basic needs. Cottage industries are to be developed not only on grounds of fuller employment and small capital requirements but also from the view point of physical, moral and cultural well-being of the people.

KEY INDUSTRIES.

Basic or key industries have also not been omitted. Defence industries, hydro and thermal electricity, mining, metallurgy, forestry, machinery and tools, heavy engineering, and chemicals have been assigned their due places. It is, however, definitely laid down that all the key industries must be owned and managed by the State. Public utilities including transport, communications, public health, education, banking, insurance, statistics and research have been dealt with at length. Adequate attention has been paid to the problems of internal trade, distribution, international trade, currency, labour welfare, position of towns, administration, public finance, taxation, population, and the training of personnel. Decentralisation has been stressed all along the line.

FINANCE.

As regards the Budget, the total amount of non-recurring expenditure on different items during ten years is estimated at Rs. 3,500 crores. This will be financed by (1) Internal borrowings (2) created money (3) Additional taxation like steeper graduation of income-tax, death duties and corporate taxes. The recurring expenditure is calculated at Rs. 200 crores which could be met mainly from the income of State-owned key industries and Public Utility services. It is true that the Budget estimates are not very ambitious like those of other plans. But it should not be forgotten that India is a very poor country.

The establishment of a really National Government at the Centre is the first postulate of the Plan. Great stress has been laid on the need for trained youngmen who have living faith in the ideal of 'simple living and high thinking' which is the corner-stone of Gandhism.—United Press.

SPEAKER COMES TO AMERY'S AID

Sorensen Raises Issue Of Release Of Congress Detenus In Commons

LONDON, Oct. 19: About 15,000 Congress detainees have been released since their original detention, declared Mr. Amery in reply to a question in the Commons to-day.

Mr. Sorensen (Labour) who had asked this question also wanted to know "what conditions respecting restrictions of movement or speech and statement accompanied their release and whether in view of the freedom of movement and speech enjoyed by Mr. Gandhi the remaining detainees may now enjoy at least freedom of access for visitors and freedom of publication".

Mr. Amery's reply was: "The answer to the first part of the question is approximately 15,000. As far as I am aware releases have as a rule been made unconditionally. The persons detained are allowed visits from members of families on domestic matters. Facilities of political discussion or publication would obviously nullify the object of their detention."

Mr. Sorenson: "Is Mr. Amery aware how utterly incongruous and inconsistent it is to allow so many Congress prisoners to be released without conditions and move freely and express their views while others are still detained who are no worse than those released? Will he not relieve himself of this illogicality?

The Speaker intervened and ruled the second part of the question out of order.

Mr. Sorensen: May I have an answer to the first part of my supplementary question?

Mr. Amery: That must be a matter for the judgment of the Government of India.

Mr. Sorensen rose to put a further question but there were protests by members and the Speaker called the next question.—Reuter.

RED ARMY INSIDE REICH

Germans Evacuate Eydtkan

LONDON, Oct. 19: The German News Agency reports that Germans have evacuated Eydtkan on the East Prussian border, 31 miles east of Insterburg.

Reuter adds that maps show Eydtkan or Eydtkuhnen to be a German town slightly on the German side of the East Prussian border.

The German Overseas News Agency reports that the Red Army is several kilometres inside East Prussian territory.

The German Overseas News Agency quoted a German military spokesman saying: "The penetration at Eydkan is the deepest yet made in the Reich territory. The enemy who keeps on bringing up fresh divisions has gained further ground beyond the town".

The German Overseas radio today reported "A tremendous battle is now raging on the East Prussian border. Massed enemy tanks are blazing at East Prussian defences on a front which is extending hourly."

Stalin Gives Dinner To Churchill

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The Moscow Radio states Marshal Stalin tonight gave a dinner in honour of Mr. Churchill and Mr. Eden in Moscow.—Reuter.

7 DESTITUTES DIE

CALCUTTA, Oct. 19: There were 62 admissions and seven deaths of sick destitutes in Calcutta hospitals yesterday.

ALLIES' LANDINGS IN PHILIPPINES

NAVAL ACTION IN INDIAN AND PACIFIC WATERS

Tiddim Falls At Last

Exploits Of Fifth Indian Division

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19.

It is reported that Tiddim has fallen.

It is announced that Indian troops of the 14th Army have captured Tiddim.

The Fifth Indian Division which captured Tiddim and has had a great record in this war, has earned the name of India's most travelled division. Since formation in 1940, it has fought Italians, Germans and Japanese in many theatres of war and won undying fame in India's armies, just as the Eighth Indian Division is now doing in Italy.

Returning to India in June last year from Iraq, it went into action in the Arakan driving the Japanese from Maungdaw in January, later relieving the Seventh Indian Division by reopening the Ngagedauk pass. When the threat of invasion of India appeared in the Imphal area, the Fifth was removed from the Arakan at a moment's notice, was flown 300 miles and went into action immediately to turn the scale against the Japanese. A brigade of this division held out Kohima against great odds for thirteen days until relieved. The tide of battle turned and the Fifth went down the Tiddim road, crossed many a river crossing to take Tiddim and continues to advance.—A. P.

BRITONS DO A BIT FOR MAN-POWER!

LONDON, Oct. 19: Britain's birthrate in the second quarter of this year was the highest for 19 years, while infant mortality was the lowest for any June quarter, according to official statistics issued today.—Reuter.

S. E. A. C. Communique

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19: Following is text of to-day's SEAC Communique:—

CHIN HILLS: Indian troops of the Fourteenth Army have captured Tiddim. Japanese defences, covering the northern approaches, collapsed under heavy air attack and troops of the Fifth Indian Division pushed in from two directions. Our forces are now in contact with the enemy south of Tiddim.

Fighting continues north of the Tiddim-Kalemyo road, where an enemy counter-attack was repulsed.

ARAKAN: Our artillery and patrols were active. A strong force of aircraft yesterday attacked airfields in the Rangoon area. Incomplete reports show that eight enemy aircraft were destroyed, two probably destroyed and six damaged.

Other Allied aircraft attacked gun positions and stores in the Tiddim and Kalemyo areas and south-west of Kwazon.

Two Allied aircraft are missing.

HOW THEY CELEBRATED DIWALI

IMPHAL, Oct. 19: Coloured smoke-bombs made a substitute for crackers and the din of artillery at practice supplied the traditional background as Indian troops, encamped about the plain of Imphal, celebrated Diwali.

Along the roads into Imphal glittering boards festooned with multi-coloured streamers and lights proclaimed a Diwali welcome. Jawans sang happily the songs of their home villages and feasted on "sabzi", "kheer" and an abundant assortment of sweets.

Diwali also received its due in the hospitals. Officers, men and patients sat down to a meal together and celebrated the occasion with songs and dances gaily-dressed Manipur dancing girls giving ENCORE after ENCORE.

BATTLE FOR AACHEN

S.H.A.E.F. PARIS, Oct. 19: To-day's Allied communique said, "South of the Scheldt, the Allies made progress westward to within three thousand yards of Breskens. We made good gains east of Schooldijke and southwards to Izendirke. To the south-west our forces are now two miles south of the Venraij-Deurne road. Our units continuing the battle of Aachen are meeting stubborn resistance in house to house fighting. We have consolidated and improved our positions at several points in Vosges foothills.

From Reuter's Special Correspondent (S.H.A.E.F. Paris). American troops of General Patton's Third Army pushed on almost a mile in a new attack north of Metz.

East of Aachen, German forces tried five times during the night to break through the American lines. One German counter-attack this morning along the line where the Aachen gap was closed succeeded in wrecking a road block. The Americans are still holding positions in Aachen.

Berlin Communique

BERLIN, Oct. 19: To-day's (Thursday's) German communique said that the Germans have broken up Allied break-through attempts made "with the strongest artillery and air support" east of Helmond which is a few miles due west of Eindhoven. In the fighting for Aachen where every house is being bitterly contested, the Germans wrested back a number of places temporarily lost, said the communique.

REACTIONS IN LONDON

Raid On Cebu And Tacloban

LONDON, Oct. 19: The Japanese News Agency to-day flashed a message datelined Manila, reporting Allied landings in the Philippines.

The News Agency said the Allied force started landing operations on Tuesday morning against Suluan Island in the Central Philippines.

The Japanese News Agency quoting an Imperial communique said Allied naval units penetrated Leyte Gulf (in the Philippine island group about 350 miles south-east Manila) on Tuesday, and have been shelling coastal areas since yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon.

A Japanese News Agency report later said that the Allies landed at Sulu in the Archipelago at the south-west corner of the Philippine Group. The Imperial Communique did not mention the landings, but said the Japanese army and navy units were intercepting the force in Leyte Gulf which consisted of warships and transports.

The Japanese News Agency added that a number of carrier based fighters and bombers yesterday appeared over various parts of the Philippines. The Allies also raided Cebu and Tacloban Bay in Pisaya several times.

Reuter adds that the reported landing is the first since the Japanese seized the Philippines islands in 1942. The Islands part of an Archipelago of over 7,000 islands about 500 miles off the south-east coast of the Asia continent and are spread over a total land area only slightly smaller than the British Isles, have been subjected to Allied bombardment during the last few weeks, especially Manila and the surrounding area.

London Reactions

LONDON, Oct. 19.

There was no confirmation till a late hour this morning of the reported landing operations in the Philippines, the only report being that given by the Japanese News Agency flash from Manila.

Other Japanese transmissions received in London referred only to American air operations against the Philippines yesterday. The carrier-based raids reported by the Japanese against various parts of the Philippines may have been the formal preliminary softening up for the landing.

If the report of the landings is true, Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Supreme Commander of the S.W. Pacific, will have fulfilled the promise to go back to the Philippines over two years after Japan's conquest of the Islands. The landing report follows several days concentrated air attacks on the island of Formosa which lies across the main routes between the Philippines and Japan. During the attacks on Formosa since October 9 American forces have sunk more than 70 Japanese ships and destroyed a large numbers of aircraft the latest total given at Pearl Harbour as 915. Reuter.

Philippines President Leaves Washington

LONDON, Oct. 13: (By Cable): The exiled President of the Philippines, Sergeo Osmena, is no longer in Washington, cables G. E. Neyroud, the New York correspondent of the "News Chronicle".

His departure follows closely that of Brig.-Gen. Carlos Romula, Resident Commissioner, "on what I trust is my way back to the Philippines." The General did in fact arrive at General MacArthur's Australian headquarters.

The natural inference is that the next item on the agenda of the Pacific War is an all-out drive to liberate the Island Commonwealth.

BRITISH LABOUR'S CONCERN FOR INDIA

LONDON, Oct. 19: The Tradee Union Congress at Blackpool to-day carried a resolution from the Fire Brigades Union advocating the release of all Indian political prisoners. It instructed the General Council to send a representative delegation to India to study the labour roblem and establish a firm relationship with the organised labour movement there.

The resolution expressed concern about the continued political deadlock between the British Government and Indian leaders. It urged leaders of the Indian people to do everything possible to reach an early basis of agreement among themselves and so enable negotiations with the British Government to be re-opened.—Reuter.

Amery On India's Industrial Development

LONDON, Oct. 19: Speaking at a meeting of the East India Association held at Caxton Hall, Westminster, today, Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary of State for India, said: "I can say that the Government of this country only wants to see Indian industry developing to the fullest. The last thing industrialists of this country have in mind is the idea that the British export industry can best prosper by India being held back in the course of her industrial development."—Reuter.

Bombardment Of Nicobars

Allied Task Force Goes Into Action

NEW YORK, Oct. 19: A Japanese broadcast picked up here today said the Allied task force had launched naval bombardment and air attack on an island in the Nicobar group in the Indian Ocean on Tuesday. The Japanese radio did not say what flag the task forces was under. It identified the island as Car Nicobar, the most northerly of the group.

Reuter adds that Nicobar group, lying in the Bay of Bengal about 1,000 miles due east of Colombo and some 800 miles from Rangoon, are often called "Cocoanut Isles" as over 15 million cocoanuts are produced there a year. They were occupied by the Japanese in June 1942.

The Japanese News Agency reported that an Allied task force launched both air and ship bombardment against Car Nicobar at dawn yesterday.

No Questions On Phillips Incident

LAHORE, Oct. 19: The Governor-General has withheld consent to Sardar Mangal Singh's question on the Phillips incident which he wanted to ask in the November Session of the Central Assembly.—A. P.

JINNAH DENIES IT

Never "Gave Such An Interview To Edward Thompson"

BOMBAY, Oct. 19: Mr. M. A. Jinnah, President of the All-India Muslim League, in a statement says: My attention has been drawn only a few days ago to an alleged Press interview given by me to Mr. Edward Thompson when he was in India in 1939, a reference to which has recently been made in certain sections of the Press here.

There is absolutely no truth that I gave any such interview nor did I ever say what is now attributed to me namely: "Two nations confronting each other in every province, every town, every village—that is the only solution. That is a terrible solution but it is the only one."—A. P.

KASHMIR'S MINISTERS

SRINAGAR, Oct. 19: His Highness the Maharaja of Kashmir has appointed Mr. M. A Beg and Wazir Gangaram as his first two popular ministers.

The Maharajah has allotted the portfolio of Public Works to Mr. M. A. Beg and that of Home to Wazir Gangaram.

Khan Bahadur Mirza Jafar Ali, the present Home Minister, has been appointed Development Minister.—A. P.

FLYING BOMB KILLS MANY IN SOUTHERN ENGLAND

LONDON, Oct. 19: Several people were killed when a flying bomb crashed on a housing estate in Southern England during the night, destroying some houses and badly damaging many others. Flying bombs which came in over the east coast for eight successive nights again met a heavy barrage and it is believed some were intercepted out at sea.—Reuter.

MUNSTER VISITS CALCUTTA CANTEENS

CALCUTTA, Oct. 19: Lord Munster, Under-Secretary of State for India, visited the Stuart and Mayne canteens, a British military hospital, the Indian Troops Convalescent Hostel and Services Club, and Indian military hospital and the R. I. N. Ratings Club yesterday.

Later in the afternoon, Lord Munster met B. E. S. A. and Indian Concerts parties.—A. P.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON DECEMBER.

	New York, Oct. 19.
Previous Closing	21.86
To-day's Opening	21.87
Difference	+01
To-day's Closing	21.84
Difference	—02

Himmler Parades More 'Secret Weapons'

BUT CONFESSES GERMANY HAS ENTERED DEFENSIVE PHASE OF WAR

LONDON, Oct. 18: Gestapo Chief, Himmler broadcast from East Prussia where he addressed a mass meeting to-day (Wednesday). It was his first nation-wide broadcast since 1937.

After giving his reasons for the campaign in the East and West, Himmler said: "These days of success and happiness were followed by days of misfortune. The hardships of Polar Winter were followed by some of our Allies collapsing owing to weakness, disloyalty and treachery. This brought us to the tragedy of Stalingrad but the war has become very difficult for our enemies in the East. They want and must break through to the German soil quickly, if they are not to overstrain their forces. Nothing is too dirty for the Jew who uses whips and gingerbread, shoots people, bribes others with cigarettes and schnapps and political catchphrases to press them into his service as did the barefaced committee of traitor Seydlitz (German Prisoner's Committee in Moscow).

WAR IN WEST

The war becomes increasingly grim too for our enemies in the west. In spite of their continuous efforts, they have only driven ahead at a few points to the old frontier of the Reich. The enemy has only succeeded in occupying some localities of the German soil." Himmler said: The rising in Warsaw which cost the Poles 200,000 lives and the total annihilation of their capital was engineered in the hope that Germany would be too weak to cope with a rebellion in her rear.

In order to force a decision one of Britain's best formations, the first parachute division, was thrown into the battle in the rear of the German front at Arnhem. Himmler referred to this division as a brave force. What was interesting is that this force was entirely British with not a single Jewish Englishman among them. The German Army has [illegible] after shameful setbacks.

DEFENSIVE PHASE

We have entered the defensive phase of the war in which it is necessary in addition to building the defences to enter into the ranks of the Volkssturm. Our enemy will have to learn that every mile of ground taken will have to be paid for with a river of blood. Ever and again, German resistance will flare up in their rear. Every farmstand in the countryside and every tenement block in the city will be defended by men who do not fear death and, if they fall, by women and girls. Like wolves our men will fall upon the enemy in their rear to cut off their lifelines.

VIGOROUS APPEAL TO SOLDIERS

Men enrolled in this force will take over the task of helping the Wehrmacht in threatened areas so that the Wehrmacht may be able to organise its own coming offensive and rearmament. Wherever the enemy enters the soil of our country the Volkssturm must be ready to engage him, attack him on the ground, jump on him from the air assail him with the fury of a fanatic, pin him down and where possible wear him out. Every house, every ditch, every bush, every cluster and trees, will have to be defended by our men, our lads, and our aged people and if necessity arises by our women.

WONDERS OF MODERN TECHNIQUE

Himmler added "We must remain faithful to our Fuehrer, faithful to the Reich, faithful to the German people. We swear to obey all orders of the Fuehrer or our superiors.

The German inventive genius has created wonders of modern technique. The V one which has been hammering the life centre of our enemy for months is but one of these. The second and other novel weapons will follow. These weapons will only bring success if they are used in conjunction with Germany's strongest wonder weapon—the German people's mass rising.

Hard trials are ahead in the weeks and months to come. But we shall go on fighting until our enemies realise the invincibility of the German people and give the sign 'cease fire'".—Reuter.

No Official Confirmation Of Execution Of Vichy Govt. Officials

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The Paris radio says: "There is no official confirmation of the report that Admiral Darquier De Pellepoix, former Commissar for Jewish affairs in the Vichy Government and Admiral Platon, former Vichy Under-Secretary for Colonies, have been condemned to death and executed."

Aney For Wardha

MADRAS, October 19: Mr. M. S. Aney, Government of India's representative in Ceylon who is on a visit to Delhi arrived in Madras this morning from Colombo. He leaves Madras tomorrow for Nagpur. After spending a couple of days at Chimur and at Wardha, he reaches Delhi on October 29.

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ALLIES CAPTURE MONTE CASTIGLIONE

Eighth Army Troops Force Bridgehead Over Pisciafello

MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Oct. 19: The Allied Communique today reports Fifth Army troops have captured Monte Castiglione an important feature dominating the coast road. Eighth Army troops have forced a bridgehead over the river Pisciatello.

CARRIER PLANES BUSY IN AEGEAN

Today's Allied Communique states: "It is reported from the Aegean that on October 15 naval aircraft made low-flying attacks on enemy transport inland of Volos. Four armoured cars, three ammunition trucks and 27 other motor vehicles were destroyed and more than 30 damaged. Naval aircraft also attacked an ammunition ship which blew up after being hit and set a coaster on fire. On October 16 north-east of Psathura in Northern sporades (39 degree 30 minutes north 24 degrees 10 minutes east) H.M.S. "Argonaut" sank an armed cargoship containing 200 enemy infantry, while destroyer "Termagant" sank a ferry laden with valuable equipment. Some enemy survivors were rescued.

In the low ground east of Cesena Eighth Army troops forced a bridgehead over the river Pisciatello. In the foothills south-west of Cesena further gains have been made and Indian troops of the Eighth Army captured Acquarola and Roversano. South African troops of the Fifth Army captured Monte Pezza, and on the west coast Negro troops of the Fifth Army captured Monte Castiglione.

Fighter bombers attacked railyards at Vinkovci in Yugoslavia. Medium bombers attacked Padua rail bridge. Shipping in the Bay of Salonika was attacked. One of our aircraft is missing.

FOREIGN MEDICAL EXPERTS FOR INDIA

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19: Six medical experts from Australia, the United Kingdom and the United States of America have accepted the invitation of the Central Government to visit India and assist the health survey and Development Committee which has been appointed to make a survey of health conditions in India and to make recommendations for future developments, says a Press Note.

The Government of India have also extended an invitation to an expert from Russia and a reply is awaited from the Russian authorities.

The party consists of Dr. J. H. L. Cumpston, Director-General of Health, Commonwealth of Australia, Sir Weldon Dairymple-Champneys, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Ministry of Health in U. K., Prof. J. A. Ryle, Professor of Social Medicine, Oxford University, Dr. Janet M. Vaughan, Member of the Goodenught Committee for Medical Schools in the U.K., Dr. J. W. Mountin, Medical Director in the United States Public Health Service and Prof. H. E. Sigerist, Professor and Director, Institute, History of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

The party is expected to arrive in India early in November.

Before commencing their discussions with the members of the Health Survey and development Committee they will undertake a brief tour of Delhi, U.P., Bengal, Orissa, Madras, Bombay and the Punjab.

Military Police N. C. O.'s On Assault Charge

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Two non-commissioned officers were alleged to have criminally assaulted the wife of a respectable restaurant proprietor in the Fort area on the night of October 15.

The accused L/Corporal Salmon and L/Corporal Thomas of the Military Police were placed to-day before the Chief Presidency Magistrate who directed them to be handed over to the Military for trial by Court Martial.

The accused were alleged to have forced their way into the room of the woman. A hue and cry was raised and the police, who hastened to the spot arrested the accused.

The Half-Column By "Dim"

Prospective Press Lord Sabavala will disappoint Beverley Nichols, if the letter appearing in the "Chronicle" of Wednesday about the Half Column's remarks on TODAY is a sample of the Prospective Press Lord's writing.

It is a pity that only the "Bombay Chronicle Weekly" runs a Children's Corner.

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In yesterday's "Times of India" appears a picture of the Earl of Munster talking to two B.O.R.'s in a canteen in Calcutta. Bearing in mind that the noble Lord is not only an Earl but also the Under-Secretary of State for India, the B.O.R.'s, as judged from the expression on their faces, don't appear the slightest bit impressed. They don't even stand up for the noble Earl. Under the picture appears the note: (See story On Page 5.) So I turned to page 5. Oddly enough, just above the Cattle Maintenance Order, appears the famous STORY, attributed to the Associated Press's brilliant reporting. The relevant part of the story runs as follows:

"Are you comfortable here?" he (Earl of Munster) asked a soldier who is on leave in Calcutta. "Beer is costly here," complained the soldier. Lord Munster explained that it was scarce in this theatre.

Lord Munster then spoke to two British soldiers. "Is living expensive here?" "Is everything laid on all right here?" were the two questions he asked. (Associated Press.)

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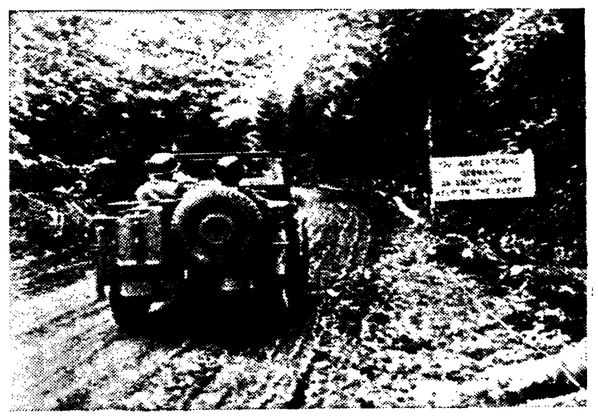
The Half Column feels, after reading the above, that a Canteen Supervisor on a pay of a hundred rupees could have done this with ease. Why send a complete Earl all the way from England? And is this the Government's idea of PROPAGANDA? Incidentally, if Munster is Under-Secretary for India, why doesn't he bother about chapatis instead of bothering about beer?



"You are entering Germany"—This roadside notice on the Belgian-German frontier alerts U. S. soldiers crossing the border in a jeep.—USOWI Radiophoto.

POLICE CONSTABLE STABBED IN AFFRAY

BOMBAY, Thursday.

While trying to intervene between angry participants in a dispute at Maharbourie, a Police constable was stated to have been stabbed last night.

It appears a person in the crowd was brandishing a lathi, when the Police constable intervened and tried to seize it. Before the crowd became more unruly, more Police help arrived on the spot and brought the situation under control.

The Police constable is now lying in the J. J. Hospital in a precarious condition.

Marine Officers Fined For Assault On Policeman

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Bertram E. Brewin, the Master and J. B. Stewart, Chief Officer were charged to-day before the Chief Presidency Magistrate for obstructing a policeman in the discharge of his duties.

The accused pleaded guilty and were sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 100/- each in default to undergo one month's imprisonment.

According to the prosecution evidence the accused disregarding a policeman's order attempted to go to the Victoria Dock in a hack victoria at about 3-15 a.m. on Wednesday. When the policeman stopped the victoria, the first accused abused and assaulted him and threw him on the ground. Another constable was also assaulted.

The Magistrate stated that it was very unbecoming and undignified for high ranking officers like the accuseu to go about assaulting policemen. Such conduct on their part would have a bad effect on the lower ranks.

APPEAL TO MAHAKOSHAL HINDUS

BILASPUR, Oct. 17: The President, Mahakoshal Provincial Hindu Mahasabha, has issued an appeal to Hindus and their organisations for active co-operation with the Reception Committee in making the forthcoming 26th Session of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha, to be held at Bilaspur, a success.

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Instead of Troy, shall Wertenberg be sack'd;
And I will combat with weak Menelaus,
And wear thy colours on my plumed crest;
Yea, I will wound Achilles in the heel,
And then return to Helen for a kiss.
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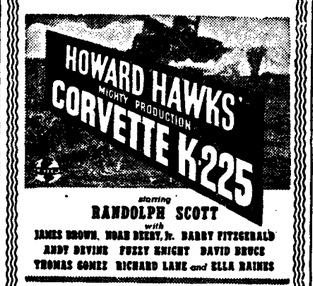

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Hightide: 2-32, 14-25.
Lowtide: 8-23, 20-24.

To-day's Engagements

BOMBAY STUDENTS' UNION (42, KENNEDY BRIDGE): Meeting of Executive Committee, at 6-30 p.m.

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS: Study Class on "Devachan" from The Ocean of Theosophy by W. Q. Judge. Jehangir Wadia Building Flora Fountain to-day (Friday), 6-15 p.m.

SUBRAHMANYA PUJA ASSOCIATION: To-day's Programme:—7-30 p.m. Shanmukarchana; 9 p.m., Thirupugal by Brahmasri Mookanna Bagavathar of Sri Murukananda Thirupugal Sabah of Thiruchendur.

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS: For the Fallen Defenders of Warsaw will be celebrated to-day in the evening, at 7 p.m., in Pro-Cathedral, Wodehouse Road, by His Grace the Archbishop of Bombay. All sympathisers are cordially invited by Consul General for Poland.

COMMISSIONERS' ROUND: The Municipal Commissioner and the Councillors of Ward No. 14 (Parel) will meet near the Central Vaccination Station, near Old Parel Tram Terminus to-morrow (Saturday), at 6-51 a.m. (B. T.), 8-30 a.m. (S. T.), to go round the ward. Residents of the ward who have grievances to represent should be present at the appointed place and time.

MUSLIM INSTITUTE OF PHYSICAL CULTURE: The annual general meeting of the Muslim Institute of Physical Culture was held on Sunday last, at Ismail House, Nishanpada Road, Bombay 9. The following office-bearers were elected for the current year: President:—Mr Habib I. Rehmtulla; Vice-President:—Mr. Mohd. Haneef Maniar; Jt. Secretary:—Mr. Adam S. Maniar; Jt. Secretary:—Mr. Haji Suleman Haji Ayub; and Treasurer:—Mr Yusuf Ebrahim Moledina.

SANGEET NIKETAN.

The opening ceremony of "Sangeet Niketan" was performed on Tuesday evening, at Gujarathi Stree Mandal Hall by Seth Jamnadas Kheraj bhai Ladiwalla.

Mr. Parab of the School of Indian Music entertained the audience by his Sitar. Mr. Nadkarni of Datta Sangeet Vidyalaya, as well as Mr. Loiyekar gave some classical hits.

FREE EYE CURE FAIRS.

Sant Parmanand Blind Relief Mission, Delhi is holding free eye cure fairs for free treatment and operations of eye diseases at the following centres through its expert Ophthalmic Surgeons:—Badshahpur in Gurgaon district 19th Oct.; Fatehpur in Jaipur State 21st-22nd Oct.; Kandla in Meerut district 24th Oct.; Okara in Punjab 25th Oct.; Faridabad 29th Oct.; Moradabad 5, 6, 7 Nov

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

We have received a wall calendar for Samvat 2001 from Devkaran Nanjee Banking Co., Bombay.

New Chinese Consul In Bombay

BOMBAY: Oct. 19: Mr. Li-Chin, Consul for China, has taken charge of the Consulate of the Republic of China at Bombay from Mr. C. T. Tsiang, who has been transferred to the Foreign Office in Chungking.

Mr. Tsiang has left for China.

Informal Conference Of Congressmen

An informal conference of prominent Congress leaders of Bombay City, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Karnatak will be held in Bombay on October 28 and 29 to take stock of the present political situation as it has developed since August, 1942; to take steps to vitalise the Congress institution reorganise its activities and to co-ordinate the activities of the Congress in the four Congress provinces.

States Muslim League Council Voles Confidence In Jinnah

The Council of the All-India State's Muslim League at its meeting held in Bombay passed a resolution expressing the implicit confidence of State Muslims in the leadership of Mr. M. A. Jinnah, supporting the stand taken by him during his recent negotiations with Mr. Gandhi and regretting the breakdown of the talks.

The Council appointed a sub-committee, with Mrs. Sugra Humayun as President and Mrs. M. H. Siddiqui as Secretary, to organise Muslim women in Indian States and to take necessary steps for their welfare.

"Vividha Vritta" Diwali Number

The Diwali Number issued by the "Vividha Vritta" which is edited by Mr. R. K. Tatnis is in keeping with the traditions set by this popular weekly of Bombay. It contains quite a number of articles, stories and poems on a variety of subjects written by well-known writers. The number provides sumptuous literary feast for the Diwali holidays. It contains about 125 pages and is moderately priced at Re. 1 only.

"Saksharata Deep"—the fortnightly organ of the Adult Literary Society, has brought out a special Diwali Number which contains ample reading material specially of interest to agriculturists and workers for whom the journal is primarily meant. The selection of stories and articles is quite good.

TODAY ON RADIO

FRIDAY, Oct. 20.

BOMBAY—1

244 m. (1,231 kc/s)—8-0 a.m. Rajen Sarkar 8-5 News (H) 8-15 News (E) 8-30 Firoze Dastur 8-50 News (M) 9-0 News (G) 9-10 To-morrow 9-15 Saleh Mohammad and Party 9-30 Marathi Songs (M) 9-45 P N Dewoolkar.

12-30 p.m. Songs (M) 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 News (H) 1-0 Variety 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Music 5-0 P. N. Dewoolkar 5-20 String Quarte 5-35 Gulab Bai 5-55 Locals 6-0 Aunty Hilda 6-30 News (E) 6-40 News (H) 6-45 News Commentary (G) 6-50 Sitar 7-0 Japanchya Navya Ghadicha Ulagada (M) 7-15 P. N. Dewoolkar 7-35 From "Bhavtarang" 7-45 Music from Film 8-0 Gulab Bai 8-15 in News 8-20 Music 8-25 News (M) 8-35 News (G) 8-45 Radio Reconnaissance (M) 9-0 News (H) 9-20 News (E) 9-30 B. B. C. News 9-45 World Affairs (B. B. C.) 10-0 Saleh Mohammad and Party 10-15 Gulab Bai 10-30 Firoze Dastur.

BOMBAY—2.

61.48 m. (4,880 kc/s)—8-5 a.m. Ustad Faiyaz Khan 8-30 Firoze Dastur 9-0 Violin Duet.

69.15 m. (3,365 kc/s)—7-30 p.m. Commercial News 7-42 Music 7-45 Rural Listeners 8-25 Saleh Mohammad and Party 9-0 AIR Orchestra 9-15 Firoze Dastur 10-0 Chamber Music 10-45 London Phil. Orchestra.

HAND-CARTS FOR REMOVAL OF DEAD

Dr. B. C. Das Gupta, Executive Health Officer, Bombay Municipality, writes:—

Hand-carts for carrying dead bodies to cemeteries are kept at the following places:

(1) Compound of the Bombay Panjrapole at Bhuleshwar. Enquiry for this may be made with the Senior Medical Inspector at District No. 4 Municipal Dispensary at Panjrapole.

(2) Queen's Road Cemetery—Enquiry may be made with the Municipal clerk thereat.

(3) Central Vaccination Depot, Suparibaug Road, Parel. Enquiry may be made with the Senior Medical Inspector District No. 9 thereat

(4) Cemetary at Sion—It can be had from the cemetary clerk in charge.

(5) Haines Road Hindu Cemetery—It can be had from the cemetery clerk thereat.

The cart will be made available to any responsible person or persons who wish to take advantage of the facility on condition that it is returned to the place concerned without any damage.

Explosion Compensation Applications

Mr. B. R. Rane, M.L.A. has addressed a letter on 16th October to the Claims Commissioners appointed under the Bombay Explosion (Compensation) Ordinance 1944 requesting them to extend time-limit for submitting applications and to make arrangement for receiving applications for compensation of the persons affected the explosion of 14th April 1944 and living at present in their respective villages in the districts of Nasik, Poona, and Satara through the District Magistrates concerned as majority of the affected persons working in the Bombay Docks and Dana Bunder as Hamals and coolies, left Bombay for want of residencial accommodation and funds for their living in Bombay.

Hindustan Commercial Bank Opens Bombay Branch

BOMBAY, Thursday.

The Hindustan Commercial Bank Ltd., which has 38 branches in different cities of India opened a branch in Bombay to-day at 26, Apollo Street. The local Advisory Board of the Bank is composed of Sir Chunilal B. Mehta, Mr. Hirabhai A. Patel and Mr. Ratilal M. Nanavati.

Bombay Students For Relief Work In Bihar

A batch of students of Bombay organised by the Bombay Students' Union (Nationalist) has left with necessary medicinal and other requirements for Bihar to carry on relief work in distressed areas.

Those who want to contribute in money and medicine for this purpose may please write to the Secretary, Bombay Students' Union (42, Kennedy Bridge) Bombay 4.

New Year Day Meeting

A joint meeting of various Hindu organisations in the city of Bombay was held on Wednesday at the Y M H A., Girgaum to celebrate the New Year. His Holiness Goswami Shri Dikshitji Maharaj delivered the New Year's message. Among those present were Rt. Hon. M R. Jayakar, Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Sir Chimanlal Setalvad, Mr Nagindas T. Master Mayor of Bombay, Dr. K. S. Mhaskar, Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, Mr. Gordhandas Morarji and Mr. Motichand Kapadia.

Hand-made Sewing Needles

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will preside.
All are cordially invited to attend.

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Cattle Maintenance Order

On and after October 31, 1944, nobody in Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District will be able to maintain she-buffaloes unless he possesses a licence issued under the Bombay She-cattle (Bovines) Licence and Maintenance Order, 1944.

Applications for licences should be made to the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Dairy Farming, 3/Turner Road, Bandra.

APPLICATIONS MUST REACH HIS OFFICE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 20, 1944.

Applications should be accompanied with a fee of annas four per animal, subject to a maximum of Rs. 5/-.

Copies of application forms can be obtained free of charge from the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Dairy Farming, 3/Turner Road, Bandra.

Remember the date....October 20, 1944.

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Oct. 19: The following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at 8 hours L. M. T. on Oct. 16:—

Allahabad 87 64 0, BOMBAY 93 75 0, Calcutta 89 74 0.4, Cawnpore 88 60 0, Cuttack 89 72 2.0, Darjeeling 60 48 0, Delhi 90 60 0, Jacobabad 98 64 0, Dehra Dun 83 60 0, Karachi 86 73 0, Lahore 94 60 0, Lucknow 91 61 0, Madras 83 70 0, Nagpur 84 67 0, Patna 89 73 0, Peshawar 85 61 0, Shillong 70 54 0, Simla 63 49 0:—A. P.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Defending liberties means essentially surrendering all advantages over other people.
—Ralph T. Templin

The Bombay Chronicle

SEGREGATION THROUGH HARASSMENT

The new Ordinance introduced in the Natal Provincial Council for the control and regulation of residential property embodies many changes made in the old Ordinance, which was issued in June last in accordance with the Pretoria Agreement with Indians and which the Indians accepted for the time being as a compromise proposal. The essence of the Agreement and the Ordinance based thereon was that the control of residential property would be as far as possible by agreement rather than compulsion. But the new Ordinance, of which we have not yet received the full text, seems to be extremely confused and on the whole prejudicial to Indian interests. For instance, it is stated that if a European wished to sell residential property in a predominantly European area to an Indian, immediately the Licencing Board issues a certificate to the effect that the property can be occupied only by Europeans; and the Natal Housing Board will have the option of purchasing the property. The Indian can buy only if the Housing Board fails to exercise its option, a very unlikely contingency. The Indian buyer may not be given a residential licence by the Board, in which case he has "the right to call upon the Housing Board to purchase the property." All this means that every difficulty is put in the way of an Indian residing in a predominantly European area. This is segregation of Indians by harassing them. As our South Africa correspondent points out, the obnoxious features of the newly drafted Ordinance are that it is made applicable to the whole of Natal and that it controls acquisition of property, which is a departure from the Pretoria agreement. We do not expect that Indians will tolerate the new Ordinance unless it is materially amended so as to safeguard their interests. We hope the Commonwealth Relations Member, Dr. Khare, will at once issue a statement on the subject embodying the necessary improvements in the revised Ordinance.

Exciting News

Not only were Japanese claims of losses inflicted on the American fleet off Formosa fantastic, but the whole story of the "naval action" between the American and Jap fleets was also a myth! All that had happened was that a Japanese naval squadron was sighted near the area of operation but when it discovered the American strength it just turned tail and fled as has now become the common practice of the Japanese Navy. As to losses, some American ships received negligible damage and a few had to retire from action. Nor did the Americans suffer any considerable loss in aircraft. On the other hand, the Americans have exacted a terrible, staggering toll of Japanese shipping and aircraft in Formosa and the Philipines in addition to blasting Jap installations, airfields and other important objectives in both.

The last two or three weeks particularly and the last few months generally have been so successful that even responsible Americans confess they had not dared to hope for. Mr. Forrestal says: "The attrition in the last three weeks had been so rapid that new valuation of the whole Japanese shipping condition was required." The Jap Navy has saved itself by letting the backbone of Japan, shipping and communications, be nearly broken. The situation that has arisen advances to a considerable extent the schedule of major operations against Japan. In fact, according to the Japs, the great phase of the offensive against Japan has already begun. According to a Reuter's report "the Japanese News Agency to-day flashed a message datelined Manila, reporting Allied landings in the Philippines." This is exciting news, indeed. But we must await details, hoping earnestly that it is true.

Phaltan's Lead

Phaltan is to be heartily congratulated on conferring powers of self-government on the people of the State. The constitution under which the first session of the Legislative Council was opened by the Rajasaheb the other day is a constitution of self-government in the sense that all the departments of administration have been transferred to Ministers elected on a franchise which gives the right of voting to 12 per cent. of the population and responsible to the Legislature. It is no doubt true that the Ruler retains in his hands the power to overrule the Ministers and the Legislature in exceptional circumstances, but the reservation of this ultimate power if exercised only when it becomes unavoidable, cannot be reasonably objected to in the conditions of educational backwardness and of inexperience of representative institutions of the people of this State. The constitution of Aundh State in the same Collectorate (viz., Satara) contains analogous safeguards, but on account of the reasonableness of the Ministers and the Legislature they never came into play even once in that State during the last four years of its operation, and so may it prove in Phaltan State. The constitution there, though imperfect in form, will in practice work it may be hoped, as a constitution of full responsible government.

Under the purely official regime in Phaltan State the Ruler had bound himself ordinarily to abide by the unanimous or majority decision of his Executive Council, but although he had the legal power in the last resort to set aside this decision he never had occasion actually to do so. This tradition which the Rajasaheb has himself established of acting as a constitutional ruler may well be depended upon to put the legal restrictions in the new constitution into abeyance as in Aundh State. But there is an additional reason which goes to reinforce this hopeful conclusion. The legislature under the new constitution is composed of 12 elected and 6 nominated members. Among these latter six there is no official, but for all the six seats have been selected persons of high competency and integrity like Mr. S. G. Vaze of the Servants of India Society (who is President of the Council) Mr. D. R. Gadgil, the noted economist, Mr. K. B. Joshi, retired Deputy Director of the Rural Development Board under the Congress Ministry, and Mr. J. P. Naik, who is responsible for the wide expansion of primary education in Kolhapur city and for the improvement and planning of Kolhapur city. The inclusion of Mr. A. V. Sabade among the nominated members calls for special notice. Mr. Sabade is Secretary of the Deccan States' People's Association affiliated to the All-India States' People's Conference and is chairman of a committee which has recommended a draft constitution of full responsible government to all the States in the Deccan for adoption. His appointment is almost a complete guarantee that the constitution of Phaltan State will in effect be worked as one of full self-government, that the Ruler will not bring his special powers into operation unless it becomes absolutely necessary and that the restrictions embodied in the Act, whatever they may be on paper, will fall into desuetude if the popular representatives on their part will use their powers in a reasonable manner.

Aundh and Phaltan are small States; but they are like the lode-star for all the other States. Even dyarchy obtains in but a few States in India like Cochin. None but these small States have yet dared to repose confidence in their people. It is a venture of faith on the part of rulers of Aundh and Phaltan to have done what much bigger States have failed to do, a venture which in the case of Aundh at any rate has been completely vindicated. We hope their example will prove infectious and the system of government which they have established will spread to other States.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Nazis At Bay

Hitler's proclamation amounts to an announcement to the people of Germany that after five years of war the final victory which the Fuehrer had promised has now changed into impending defeat. The tables have been completely turned. Time was when the Nazis had overrun the greater part of Europe and were gravely threatening the rest. Now all the Nazi satellites have been overrun and Europe is threatening Germany herself. In fact, Germany has already been invaded and entered. It is an irony of Hitler's fate but no more than poetic justice that he should now bewail the plight of Germany as standing alone and copy his opponents' example of conscripting the adult German male population into a Home Guard. The dream of 1940, 1941 and even 1942 is now the grimmest nightmare in German history.

Fight To The Last

The Fuehrer has ordered that a German "Volkssturm" be set up in all the districts of the Reich to defend "the home soil with all the weapons and all means suitable." The "Volkssturm"—and here it differs from the Home Guards—is to be commanded by the Gualeiter of each district and the whole organisation will be under the Supreme Command of Himmler, the Home Front Generalissimo. It is significant to note that this "people's army" is to be under the direct and complete control of the Nazi Party, which, of course, is intended to ensure that there shall be no defection and that the German people will be made to fight the war of the Nazi Party's survival to the last. This is a warning to the United Nations that the battle of Germany will not be easily won, that even when the battle is militarily won the completion of victory will be a grim and long process. But it is regrettable to notice that the Allies themselves are also helping the Nazis to mobilise the patriotism and resistance of the Germans. Speeches and decisions of the sort, which marked the proceedings of the British Trade Union Congress, attended also by fraternal delegates from Russia, are more likely to strengthen the German people's resolve to fight than seek for peace.

Indian Scientists' Mission

Press reports and official statements about the Indian scientists now in England do not clearly indicate the real purpose of the visit. But it is not difficult to read between the lines and gauge some of Britain's motives. It is significant, indeed, that when a question was asked at a press conference as to whether part of India's credit balance with this country, which may ultimately reach a thousand million pounds, could be spent partly on research equipment, Prof. Hill took it upon himself to say: "India will probably need to spend the credit balance on obtaining capital equipment for industries." This statement, together with the admission made at the conference, that the mission had authority to investigate the possibility of obtaining scientific equipment from Britain and America "preliminary orders" for which might amount to many lakhs of rupees, is one straw indicating the way the wind blows. We may assume that Britain will get the lion's share of the orders. And we have no doubt that in all these bargains the Indian mission will be given the full benefit of Prof. Hill's expert advice.

Groundless Fear

It appears from our London correspondent's report of the press conference that all the Indian scientists expressed an intense desire to visit Russia and had already intimated their wishes to the Government of India. Why has not the Government arranged a visit to that country, where our scientists can learn much that is original about scientific research and its aid to industry including agriculture? The fear is expressed by some that the scientists may unconsciously play into the hands of imperialists and commit India to obligations which may give a fresh lease to Britain's economic hold on the country. We do not share the fear. Apart from other considerations to their credit, the scientists are too intelligent and disinterested to be taken in. They can be trusted to understand the temper of their countrymen to-day and to-morrow. And, after all, no large scale commitments can be binding on India after the war unless they are ratified by the Central Legislature.

JAPAN TO INVADE INDIA AGAIN?

"India, A Major Factor In War" Says American Paper

New York, Oct. 17—The New York "Times" published yesterday an editorial under the title 'India's War Effort" in which the importance of the Indian Army to the Far East war is made clear. The "Times" voices the belief that India is one of the "major factors in the war," and says that India has been unified in a common cause which holds out the prospect of "a better political future."

The text of the editorial follows:

"Bearing out Mr. Churchill's prediction that the Japanese will resume fighting in Burma as soon as the monsoon season ends, a small Japanese force has just made a reconnaissance thrust into Bengal to test the defenses of the Indian border. It was driven back but the Japanese are believed to have concentrated considerable forces in Burma for more ambitious efforts. They first seek to prevent the imminent junction between the new Ledo and the old Burma Road and to keep supplies from China. But their first sign of real activity indicates their real objective, and despite the disastrous failure of their first attempt to invade India they must be expected to try again. They will try for three reasons—first, in order to wipe out the disgrace of the first major defeat large forces of the Japanese army have suffered in modern times: second, because their one-track minds and their tenacity prompt them to stick to preconceived plans at all costs; third, because to them the conquest of India means collapse of the British Empire, and, therewith, victory.

INDIA'S ROLE

This directs attention again to the role India is playing in this war. This role has been obscured both by lack of proper publicity and by controversies regarding India's political status in which large considerations often have been overlooked. The fact is, as Indians themselves readily admit, and as even Gandhi's change of position indicates, the war as a whole—especially the imminent danger of invasion—has for the first time unified all India in a common cause which not only holds out the prospect of a better political future but also has made India one of the major factors in the war.

"Despite all the Japanese propaganda seeking to raise a racial issue, and despite the contrariness of some of her own leaders, India has raisd an army of 2,500,000 million men, all volunteers. These men are fighting on many fronts. They constitute the bulk of the forces which defeated the Japanese. What is equally important, they have been raised from all parts of India and from all castes, rather than from just the martial people as in the past, thus forming the first united force in India's history. And they are developing a large corps of Indian officers who are learning to see India as a whole through national rather than regional, political, caste or religious eyes. These men may well become the national leaders of the future.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT IMPORTED

"The issue is raised why India with all her manpower is not doing more. The Indian answer is, first, that in view of backward educational standards it takes at least two years to make an Indian a good soldier, and, second equipment. India produces most of the light equipment she needs and sends large supplies to Britain, but heavy equipment needed for modern war must come from Britain and the United States. Yet at three different times equipment earmarked for India was diverted to other fronts, including Russia, and only now is adequate equipment for Indian armies in sight.

"Of necessity India must become one of the major Allied bases in the Pacific war. That base has been secured by the Indian people themselves. The full impact of India's war effort will be revealed when the fighting starts anew in Burma."
—U.S.O.W.I.

'Gag On 'National Herald' To Continue'

'Protest Noted' Says Home Dept. To Editors Representation Against Destruction Of 'Harijan' Files

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Mr. S. A. Brelvi, President, All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference, has released for publication the resolutions passed by the Standing Committee of the Conference at its meeting at Karachi on the 9th and 10th of July, 1944, together with the Government of India's replies thereto.

Copy of letter ref: No. 33/27-44-(poll) (1), dated the 14th August, 1944, from Sir Richard Tottenham, Additional Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, New Delhi, to Mr. S. A. Brelvi, President, A.I.N.E.C., Camp, Karachi.

Sir,—I am directed to reply as follows to those of the resolutions passed by the Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference in its session at Karachi on July, 9th and 10th 1944, with which the Home Department of the Government of India are concerned. Resolutions Nos. IV and V have been referred to the Industries and Civil Supplies Dept:—

Professional Convention

"The Standing Committee is of opinion that, if any prosecution is launched by a Provincial Government or the Central Government against a newspaper, the prosecution should lie only against the editor, printer or publisher, and that in no case members of the staffs of newspapers or its correspondents should be proceeded against for any public action. The Standing Committee wishes to point out that, according to the convention of the journalistic profession, the responsibility for any publication should be fixed only on the editor, printer or publisher and desires Government to recognise this convention. It trusts that the Central Government will issue suitable instructions to the Provincial Governments on this subject".

The question is primarily for the courts to decide and Government understand that the issue has in fact been raised in an appeal now pending before the Nagpur High Court. Obviously, any comment at this stage would be improper.

"The Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference has read the correspondence between Mahatma Gandhi and the Bombay Government narrating the circumstances which led to the destruction by a subordinate officer acting under the Government instructions, of all the old files of the 'Harijan' and other important papers, documents, etc. The Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference protests against this act and against the order of the Government upon which the Ahmedabad officials acted. The Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference asks Government that in future, under no circumstances, orders be given to damage or destroy old files of newspapers, documents, etc., which are in the nature of recorded history, as expects that officers indulging in such outrages will be punished".

The protest is noted. But Government regret that they cannot see their way to issuing orders in the very wide terms suggested.

Action Against Papers

"The Standing Committee has heard with regret about the action taken by the Provincial Governments of Sind and Bombay, in forfeiting and demanding securities from "The Sansar Samachar", and "People's War", the "Journalist" and "Forum" respectively, under the Indian Press Emergency Act. The Committee wishes to put before the Government its opinion that action in each case was too drastic and unjustified, especially in view of the explanations given by the editors concerned that there was no intention on their part to countenance any encouragement or incitement to acts of violence". In the interests of continued good relations between the Government and the Press this committee appeals to the Government concerned to cancel their orders".

The action complained of was taken under the law, and Government have no reason to believe that the procedure of consultation with the local Press Advisory Committee was not observed before forfeiture was ordered. The law itself provides for an appeal to the High Court".

"National Herald"

Copy of letter Ref: No. 7-D.S./44 dated the 21st August, 1944, from Mr. J. D. Kapadia, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, New Delhi, addressed to the President, All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference, Camp, Karachi.

Sir,—"The Standing Committee of the A.I.N.E.C. regrets to note that the Government of India have refused permission to the proprietors of the "National Herald" to resume publication of the paper. The Committee is of the view that Government should reconsider their decision and permit the resumption of publication of the paper. The Committee further authorises the president to take this matter up with the Government of India."

The Government of India have given their most careful consideration to the request of the Committee which was expounded at some length by the President of the Indian and E. Newspaper Society Mr. Devdas Gandhi, to the Newsprint Advisory Committee meeting on the 5th August, 1944, and regret their inability to revise their decision.

"The Standing Committee of the A.I.N.E.C. is of the view that the Paper Control Order promulgated Government on 12th June last is drastic and has adversely affected non-quota newspapers. These newspapers had already reduced their consumption to the minimum and the Committee, therefore, suggests that such non-quota newspapers be given newsprint quotas on the basis of their consumption of the first quarter of this year and that till such quotas can be supplied, these papers should be permitted their original consumption of paper. The Standing Committee further requests that these resrictions should not apply to the use of hand-made paper by newspapers and periodicals"

The reasons of the promulgation of the paper control (economy) order, 1944, were fully explained by Sir Akbar Hydari at the meeting in Bombay in July last and have given wide publicity in the Press. Newspapers and periodicals have not been subjected to any severer cut than other consumers of paper and in suitable cases newsprint quotas have, as a measure of relief, been allotted to newspapers and periodicals using Indian-made paper upto now.

Hand-made paper cannot be excluded from the purview of the paper control (economy) order; The reason is that there is an overall shortage of paper in India and since hand-made paper is a substitute for other kinds of paper, its use should be economised and diverted to essential purposes just as much as the use of other kinds of paper.—A. P.

For Every Thinking Indian....

The Tragic Story Of Bankruptcy Of Wisdom

By D. F. Karaka.

III

Meanwhile it is necessary to ask ourselves what became of the Congress? How was it possible that with the march the Congress had stolen over the League in point of time, it had allowed a rival organisation to spring up in India which would get so strong as almost to endanger the existence of the Congress itself. The answer was simple: the Congress had deteriorated in more ways than one. When I speak of deterioration I do not refer to men like the Mahatma, Pt. Nehru Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, but they are not all the Congress. The trouble was that every khaddar-clad four-anna member believed that by reason of his donning khaddar, he had qualified for the leadership of the people of India and that this leadership was a pure Congress monopoly. The sham and hypocrisy which masqueraded in the name of the Congress was another factor which caused its eventual deterioration. No one from within the High Command questioned whether the men who were in various spheres discharging Congress responsibilities were fit and qualified to discharge those obligations. The only disciplinary action taken during the Congress regime was on a political point of order, as it were, in the case of Dr. Khare. But what about disciplinary action or even an inquiry in those many cases of flagrant breach of fundamental Congress principles?

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If the Muslims felt they had not been justly treated by the Congress in office, it was the duty of the Congress to set up an independent committee of inquiry as different from inquiry by the Congress ministries themselves. It is true Pandit Nehru offered to meet Mr. Fazlul Huq, then an ardent Muslim Leaguer, on any charge and to go with Huq to investigate any point raised by him, but even though Mr. Huq did not avail himself of this offer, the Congress should have proved on its own accord and for the satisfaction of the world that like Caesar's wife it was above suspicion and it was not enough that after the Pirpur report, Congress ministries themselves were asked to examine the charges.

The fact, however, remained—and this was a legitimate grouse of the Muslims—that the idea of a coalition was spurned in those early days. Instead to give the Congress ministries a sort of all-communities touch, the Congress took into these ministries Muslims, who, with the exception of Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai, were mere Congressmen but who were found willing to sign the Congress pledge, just to become Ministers. Moreover, the Congress not only tolerated within its ranks, but gave high office to, men like Mr. K. M. Munshi, whose attitude to the Muslims was far from happy.

The mistakes the Congress made were no different from those made by the British Labour Party when they first took office. The glamour of power can affect human nature more than the flesh can resist. The Congress did nothing more vicious than what other Governments had done before them. Favouritism was current in those days as before or since, but while one expected it as a normal feature of other administrations, it was a great disillusionment when they occurred under the Congress regime. Young men with ideals, who were a little bewildered by what they saw, asked themselves: "What could have happened to the teaching of Mahatma Gandhi?" The fault was not of the master or the teaching. The fault lay with those who were too weak to live a life devoted to the welfare of the people and too prone to opportunism when the opportunity offered.

That mistakes would be made was inevitable, but the lack of correction and discipline on the part of the High Command of the Congress came as a bitter disillusionment to many thinking people, within and without the Congress. Whatever it said in its resolutions, its utterances, statements, the fact remained that, broadly speaking, there came to the Congress a marked Hindu bias. While men like the Mahatma, Pandit Nehru and their type were free from any bias, the lesser men in office showed their preferences in a marked degree. Let's make hay while the sun shines, appeared to be their motto.

All this undermined the prestige of the Congress and no one was more aware of this than Mr. Jinnah.

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When the time was ripe, Mr. Jinnah struck. In effect he said to the Muslims: "If India gets independence, it is of no use to us, for in place of the domination of a foreign power, we will have the domination of a foreign community. It will be a worse persecution than before and the domination will be permanent, because the majority will always dominate. So let us separate from the Hindus. Let us take a piece of this land which is also our birthright and take it for ourselves. Let us create two States from this one country: Hindustan for the Hindus and Pakistan for us."

These points have to be harped upon here because they must be understood by the broad mass of people, who do not understand the exact stand that Mr. Jinnah took at the meeting. In effect he said to the Mahatma: "I am Muslim India; therefore, you can only be India minus the Muslims, which means Hindu India. On behalf of the Muslims I CLAIM that we are a Nation apart, from the entity which is called India. We have decided to separate not only from the framework of the British Empire, even as you want to, but also from the framework of India as at present understood. There is no point in your trying to solve the communal problem. If you accept the principle of separation unconditionally without plebiscites and without reference to the areas we claim as ours, the problem is solved. And it is the only way in which the problem can be solved, for we will accept no other solution."

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The most peculiar feature of the talks, as judged from the published correspondence, was that Mr. Jinnah really believed that Mahatma Gandhi had come to him as "a seeker". Mr. Jinnah's attitude was that of a tutor who said to his pupil: "But do you understand what I am saying?" and the pupil said: "Well, I think you mean this, don't you?" and the tutor would say: "No, no, no you're wrong, try again". It was Mahatma Gandhi who was always interpreting not only what the Congress and he himself had said, but also what he understood the Muslim League to have said. Mr. Jinnah merely contented himself by pointing out where Mahatma Gandhi was wrong. Whenever elucidation was asked for from Mr. Jinnah it was not forthcoming, so that what Pakistan implied in terms of boundaries, what its constitution would be in terms of the minorities of Pakistan, and a hundred other matters of vital importance appeared to be brushed aside by Mr. Jinnah. He had enunciated the broad outlines. The gaps would be filled in at his convenience, he seemed to say. As some one said: "To every question, Mr. Jinnah referred to his Lahore Resolution, as if it was like the laws of the Medes and the Persians and contained the seeds of some eternal truth."

Throughout the talks Mr. Jinnah's tone was one of extreme dogmatism. It bore the stamp of a small-town dictator, reminiscent of Hitler and Mussolini. But Mr. Jinnah played like an amateur compared to the other more polished performances. The result was not tragedy, but melodrama. Yet in India as it is to-day, it made its appeal, because the broad mass of people were too uneducated to realize the limitations of Mr. Jinnah's leadership, his utter bankruptcy of wisdom. To political observers of our time, Mr. Jinnah is too small for the role he wants to play. Ability is not enough for the leadership of 70 million Muslims. With ability must come vision and leadership must come by instinct, if not inborn in the man himself. And Mr. Jinnah has never gone far beyond his original status—that of an advocate with a brief.

(To Be Continued)
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TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

What has been a noteworthy feature is that a number of doctors, lawyers, teachers and others belonging to the liberal professions have themselves heart and soul in the elections, and have been rewarded by being elected as office-bearers—a thing connoting the popularity that the League is beginning to enjoy even among the educated classes of the community. Till now only the richer Muslims were able to monopolise offices and be in charge of policy.

—"Times of India" Report of League Elections in Bombay

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Our London correspondent reports the possibility of Lord Linlithgow accepting an important post in the Government which may even mean a seat for him in the War Cabinet. The noble Lord would, we are bound to say, be a fit and proper person. He has better experience, and ability of conducting war jobs after Mr. Churchill's own fighting heart.

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"Who", asks a contemporary, "can be more interested about India than the Indian people?"

Obviously and unquestionably their British Trustees.

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"There is", Mr. Brendan Bracken has assured Parliament, "no doubt that the sessation of hostilities in Europe will kill the tribe of censors."

Hurray!

By the way, will the germicide operate strictly in Europe or outside, too?

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"Among the few Hindu writers in the Press who avoid catchwords, apply their minds to problems and analyse the causes of the deadlock, is Mr. P. C. Joshi who before and after the Gandhi-Jinnah parleys discussed the question with a rare attempt at fairness."

—Muslim League's "Dawn".

Our congratulations to—Mahashay P. C. Joshi.

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From proceedings of the British Trade Union Congress: "The fraternal delegate from Russian Trade Unions, M. Vassili Kuznetsov said that the German invaders must be forced to replace everything they had destroyed."

And that's that.

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Reuter's state that Lord Templewood (Sir Samuel Hoare) will shortly relinquish his position as British Ambassador in Madrid.

We sympathise with General Franco for his prospective bereavement. But we also strongly feel that Mr. Churchill's message of condolence to the Caudillo should also contain "kindly words" of necessary assurances.

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"MOSCOW, October 17: Marshal Stalin and Prime Minister Mr. Churchill, conferred again tonight."
—Reuter.

They dined again, too.

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During the history lesson the teacher pointed out to the class that a surname often indicated the trade of the ancestors of those who bore the name. He gave the obviously simple examples of Smith, Taylor, and Baker.

Then he questioned one of the boys:—

"What were your ancestors, Webb?"

"Spiders, sir!"

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Silence is golden, and yet some people refuse to keep still.

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If a man is out of his head he is apt to put his foot in it.

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Did you ever see a free show that didn't have some kind of collections attached to it?

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The wise young man keeps both eyes on the small boy whose big sister he wants to marry.

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You may have noticed that the friends who are willing to lend you money are those who have no money to lend.

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More Trouble For Indians

Natal Occupation Control Ordinance Gets Worse In Select Committee

MARITZBURG, Oct. 18.

The Natal Provincial Council met on Tuesday night and Mr. D. E. Mitchell Member of the Executive Council, introduced the report of the Select Committee on the Occupation Draft Ordinance together with the New draft Ordinance, Mr. Mitchell said the Select Committee was unanimous.

The new Occupation Draft Ordinance as brought up by the Select Committee provides for the control by agreement between racial groups of the acquisition of fixed property everywhere in Natal. The original Draft Ordinance provided only for the control of the occupation of property in the borough of Durban through a Licensing Board. The new Ordinance also makes provision for the control of the occupation of dwellings but it applies to the entire province and not only to a borough of Durban.

The new Ordinance applies to the entire province except those boroughs and townships excluded by the Administrator by proclamation. Provision is made for the establishment of residential Licensing Boards for every borough or township in Natal.

The machinery provided in the Ordinance is as follows: First, an agreement must be reached between bodies representative of the majority of rate-payers of each racial group in any borough or township, about areas in which members of the respective racial groups will be permitted to acquire or occupy or both acquire or occupy immovable property. Then the matter must be reported to the Administrator in writing together with an affidavit setting out the terms of agreement and a statement showing the number of rate-payers of each racial group present at any meetings at which the agreement was reached and, generally, all such information as may be prescribed by regulations touching upon any such agreement.

LEGALISING AGREEMENT

The Administrator will then appoint a Commission to enquire into the agreement. If it is found that the agreement is representative of, and in accordance with the views of the majority of the rate-payers of each racial group in the borough of township, as the case may be, the Administrator will report to the Provincial Council for its approval. When the agreement is approved by the Provincial Council, the Administrator will declare by proclamation that the agreement as set out in the Proclamation will have the force of law and be binding upon all members of both racial groups seeking to acquire or occupy immovable property in the borough or township concerned.

Provision is made for the establishment of licensing boards consisting of three Europeans and two Indians, for every borough and township in the province.

R. A. F. BUSY OVER GERMANY.

LONDON, Oct. 19: An Air Ministry communique to-day states "Last night mosquitoes of R. A. F. bomber command attacked Hanover and Manheim. Other objectives in Western Germany were also bombed. Yesterday mustangs of Air Defence of Great Britain on patrol off Denmark destroyed six enemy aircraft. From these operations one mosquito is missing".—Reuter.

INDIAN SCIENTISTS IN BRITAIN

Members Of Parliament Take Interest In Their Work

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, Oct. 19: The visit of Indian scientists to Britain has brought to prominence the work of the National Planning Committee. There is a strong feeling here that the study of India's industrial problem cannot be made satisfactorily in the absence of the report of the National Planning Committee.

It is hoped that despite this fact these scientists have committed themselves to a heavy programme—their diary shows an average of four to five engagements daily. They may be able to respond to the wishes of a group of M.P.s by addressing them in private.

At such a meeting, one of the scientists who collaborated with the National Planning Committee may be able to throw light on why the report of the Committee has not yet seen the light of day. There is also every possibility that the matter is being raised in Parliament.

Meetings To Demand Release Of Congress Cabinet

CALCUTTA, Oct. 19: An appeal for holding public meetings daily for a week all over the Province, demanding the release of Congress leaders and members of Congress Working Committee, has been issued over the signatures of 35 prominent citizens of Calcutta. The programme chalked out for Calcutta begins on October 22 and ends on October 28.—A.P.

I. C. A. CONFERENCE AND INDIA

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19: It is understood that Sir Girja Shankar Bajpai, Agent-General to the Government of India in the U. S. A., will lead the Indian Delegation to the International Civil Aviation Conference opening in Chicago on November 1. The other members will be: Sir Gurunath Bewoor, Sir Frederick Tymms, Mr. Gur Dayal Singh and Mr. S. C. Sen.—A. P.

Death Of Mr. A. L. Ojha

CALCUTTA, October 18: The death occurred at his residence in Calcutta this morning of Mr. A. L. Ojha, a former President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industries.

A leading businessman of the city, Mr. Ojha was also a former President of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Indian Mining Federation, and the Colliery Owners' Association. He was a delegate to the International Labour Conference at Geneva.

NOT AN IDEAL SOLUTION OF INDIAN PROBLEM

"Natal Daily News" On New Ordinance To Tackle "Penetration" Issue In S. Africa

DURBAN, Oct. 18.

"No good purpose will be served by hailing the Ordinance introduced in the Natal Provincial Council for control and regulation of residential property as an ideal solution of the Indian problem," says the "Natal Daily News" commenting on the Ordinance.

"But it can be claimed that it is a vast improvement on the Ordinance originally suggested and it will inject control where at present except for negative prohibition of the Pegging Act there is no control but only constant friction.

The Select Committee approached its task with a high and commendable sense of responsibility not only to the Europeans but to the Indians and other non-European races.

The first thing to be emphasised is that the ordinance is but one in a series of ordinances with which it is to be integrated and which is intended as a whole to provide for a long range development of the Province.

In examining its provisions it must not be forgotten for instance that later it harmonises with the plans for racial "zoning" and for planning of the urban areas that have been devised for various municipalities.

With these plans go the powers of expropriation which we are assured will be used judicially but with determination.

The new ordinance, therefore, rests on a basis of adjustment that will fall as heavily on Europeans as on Indians.

Referring to the immediate aspects of the ordinance, the paper says it does not stop Indians investing in business. It makes it difficult for Indians to acquire for investment on dwelling houses, unlicensed residential hotels and boarding houses in predominantly European areas.

As before the introduction of the Pegging Act Indians will also be permitted to acquire dwelling houses without restriction in predominantly Indian areas and will also have the right to buy without restriction business premises and blocks of flats in any areas.

Before the Pegging Act the bulk of the Indian purchase in predominantly European areas consisted of dwelling houses but this will now be checked and here the new Ordinance does grapple directly with the form of "penetration" that recently aroused the greatest concern. The Ordinance is not a "solution" but it provides the basis on which the equilibrium between the different racial groups can be established.

Linked with other Ordinances it means that Indians themselves can achieve a great measure of untrammelled development and expansion. The ordinance will be subject to discussion and further elucidation and perhaps amendment.

But there is no doubt that it lays down broadly the final form that a settlement must take. The Select Committee in that respect has done its job well. "If there is on both sides the spirit of give and take, the new measure can, we believe, be made to work. The alternative is deepening the racial friction with consequences fraught with danger. That is the real fundamental choice which has to be made and it is with the unhappy alternative clearly in mind that attitudes towards the new ordinance should be decided."—Reuter.

NATAL ORDINANCE

Party Members Express Their Views

PIETERMARITZBURG, Oct. 19: The Natal Indian Congress held a special meeting at Durban on Saturday to consider the Residential Property Regulation Ordinance. The Action Committee of the Dominion Party met at Durban on Wednesday to discuss the New Ordinance, but decided to make no decision until it had time to study the proposals.

The Dominion Party member of the Select Committee, Mr. J. A. Lidgett expressed to-day his satisfaction with the Ordinance. The Chairman of the Committee, Mr. D. E. Mitchell is holding a series of meetings in the Natal South Coast to explain the Ordinance before the Provincial Council meets on Oct. 30. The Labour Party member, Mr. E. R. Browne, will report to the constituency next Wednesday. Mr. Browne, who represents Durban Gardens Constituency which is most seriously affected by "Indian penetration" said in an interview that if the Gardens accepted the Ordinance, the rest of Natal must also accept it. The Mayor of Durban, Mr. Rupert Ellis-Brown, said, the Ordinance "appears to be going a long way towards meeting difficulties and it does show a genuine attempt on the part of the Select Committee to help solve the problem."—Reuter.

Natal Indians Accept Housing Scheme

PIETERMARITZBURG, Oct. 19: The Indian Community of Pietermaritzburg has accepted the offer by the city council, of 250 acres for the housing scheme. The Mayor, Mrs. W. A. Russell, has given an undertaking that the council is prepared to build the necessary roads to give the Township easy access to the city, especially that part occupied by Indians.

Facilities for the training of Indian girls as teachers and nurses were discussed to-day before the Indian Judicial Commission. It was stated by a member of the deputation of the Pietermaritzburg branch of the Natal Indian Congress that whereas at one time there was some prejudice among Indian girls towards taking up the teaching and nursing professions, the advance of education had broken down a good deal of the prejudice and Indian girls were now prepared to follow these professions if facilities were provided.—Reuter.

DELHI'S FAILURE TO APPLY TO U. N. R. R. A.

M.L.A. Gives Notice Of Adjournment Motion In Central Assembly

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19.

Mr. K. S. Gupta, M.L.A. (Central) has given notice of an adjournment motion to discuss "the failure of the Government of India to apply for help in time to the U.N.R.R.A. though India has been admitted as a nation entitled to receive relief from U.N.R.R.A."—A. P.

U. S. A. AIR ATTACKS ON GERMANY.

LONDON, Oct. 19: It is officially announced that over 1,000 United States' flying fortresses and liberators escorted by more than 700 fighters to-day attacked military targets at Mainz and in the Ludwig Shafen-Manheim area.—Reuter.

Mr. Amritlal Ojha former president of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry who expired on Wednesday at his residence in Calcutta at the age of 54.

ALL-INDIA TABLE TENNIS

DADY KAPADIA AND NED STEELE ELIMINATED

Some sparkling Table Tennis was seen in the All-India Championships at the St. Xavier's College on Thursday evening. Sivaraman, the Madras Ace, provided the most brilliant exhibition of his career by defeating Dady Kapadia one of Bombay's leading players in three straight games. He was in a devastating form and never allowed any rope to his versatile opponent.

Uttam Chandarana, who has at last found his true colours made short work of Ned Steele the American star. Uttam may now be depended upon to fight with all his might for the defence of his title. His meeting with Sivaraman in the penultimate round this evening is likely to produce a first class treat.

"Chubby" Aronson of America disposed of Ramaswamy of Mysore with ease, while Chaubal of Bombay had a ding-dong struggle with Shanbag, a team-mate, before accounting for him. It is very doubtful if Chaubal will be able to extend Aronson to any appreciable extent in the second semi-final today.

MISS SHROFF GOES DOWN IN SINGLES

The Women's Singles saw some surproses as usual. Miss Shroff, who has two championships to her credit this season, succumbed to Miss Bocarro in three straight games. Miss Kudav, on the other hand got the better of Miss Brodie after a long-drawn out fight. The winners will now meet in the final.

SIVARAMAN IN DEVASTATING FORM

In the quarter-finals of the Mixed Doubles, Aronson and Miss Vakharia went down to Dady Kapadia and Miss Perlon Madon without a real show of fight. Uttam Chandarana and Miss Boccarro also found their opponents, Sivaram and Miss Shroff too good for them. Cooper and Miss Brodie did not experience any serious difficulty in eliminating Shanbag and Miss Dadyburjor. The only match which was keenly contested, was between Ramaswamy and Miss Cassinath and Rusi Cooper and Miss Kudav. The former pair won very narrowly.

The following are the results:—

WOMEN'S SINGLES SEMI-FINALS

Miss M. G. Kudav (Bombay) beat Miss M. Brodie (Bombay), 19-21, 21-15, 21-19 13-21, 21-18.

Miss E Bocarro (Bombay) beat Miss R K. Shroff (Bombay), 21-17, 24-22, 21-18.

MEN'S SINGLES QUARTER-FINALS

H. Aronson (U.S.A.) beat C. Ramaswamy (Mysore), 21-8, 21-17, 21-19.

V. Sivaraman (Madras) beat D. H. Kapadia (Bombay) 26-24, 21-14, 21-17.

P. K. Chaubal (Bombay) beat V. B. Shanbag (Bombay), 21-23, 21-7, 21 17, 21-14.

U M. Chandarana (Bombay) beat N. Steele (U.S.A.) 21-21-19, 21-12.

MIXED DOUBLES QUARTER-FINALS

D. H. Kapadia and Miss P. F. Madon (Bombay) beat H. Aronson (U.S.A.) and Miss P. F. Vakharia (Bombay) 21-16, 21-16, 21-15.

K. S. Cooper and Miss M. Brodie (Bombay) beat V. B. Shanbag and Miss M. K. Dadyburjor (Bombay), 14-21, 21-16, 21-17, 21-16.

V. Shivaraman (Madras) and Miss R. K. Shroff (Bombay) beat U. M. Chandarana and Miss E Bocarro (Bombay), 21-9, 21-17, 10-21, 21-12

C. Ramaswamy (Mysore) and Miss B. M. Cassinath (Bombay) beat R. S. Cooper and Miss M. G. Kudav (Bombay), 21-16, 12-21, 21-17, 11-21, 21-17.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

MORNING SESSION: 9-30 onwards:—Bengal vs Mysore Hyderabad vs Delhi.

EVENING SESSION: 5-30 p.m. to 6-00 p.m. Final of Women's Doubles. Miss P. F. Madon and Miss M. Brodie vs Miss R. K. Shroff and Miss M. C. Kudav.

6-00 p.m. to 7-00 p.m. Semi-finals of Men's Singles U. M. Chandarana vs V. Sivaraman, H. Aronson vs P. K. Chaubal.

7-00 p.m. to 8-00 p.m. Semi-finals of Mixed Doubles (1) D. H Kapadia and Miss P F Madon vs K S Cooper and Miss M, Brodie, (2) V. Sivaraman and Miss R. K. Shroff vs C. Ramaswamy and Miss B. M. Cassinath.

8-00 p.m. onwards: Semi-finals of Men's Doubles: (1) D. H. Kapadia and M. V. S. Vithal vs R S Cooper and K S Gooper, (2) H Aronson and N. Steele vs U M Chandarana and V S Patkar.

Maharashtra Hockey Association

POONA, Oct. 17: The Fifth Annual General Body Meeting of the members of the Poona District Hockey Association was held on Oct. 15, under the presidentship of Mr. H. N. Driver. After the balance sheet was passed and new members elected, a resolution on separation of the Association from the Bombay Provincial Hockey Association, was passed. This resolution was previously passed by the Managing Committee and the consent of the B. P. H. A. was also got. The Poona District Association will henceforward be known as the Maharashtra Hockey Association.

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MRS. HEILLEMANN ARRESTED UNDER D.I.R. AT ALMORA

Reported To Have Been Engaged In Subversive Activities Under Cover Of Social Work

(From Our Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 18

A report from Almora states that Mrs. Catherine M. Heillemann known as Sarla Ben (name given her by Gandhi) was arrested at Almora under Section 129 D.I.R. It is stated that she was doing social and educational work at Almora on the advice of Gandhiji.

Early this year she was served with notice not to move out beyond one-mile radius of her residence. She defied it, was prosecuted and sentenced two months' imprisonment. After her release she resumed her social work, particularly among women. Local authorities, however, found, it is said, that she was engaged in subversive activities under cover of her social activities. Gandhiji's reaction to this arrest is awaited.

NOBEL PRIZE FOR DISCOVERER OF PENICILLIN

LONDON, Oct. 17: Sir Alexander Fleming, who once said that he had never made a penny from the discovery of his wonder drug, "Penicillin", is likely to receive this year's Nobel Prize for Medicine, amounting to about £6,500, writes a "Daily Mail" reporter.

There has been no distribution of this Nobel Prize since 1939 and some of the accumulated funds may be used to reward Sir Alexander's close collaborator, Professor H. W. Florey, who was knighted with Sir Alexander for the part he played in the discovery.

The probability of a double award indicates the importance attached by the Adjudicating Committee of Swedish Scientists to the work of these two British pioneers. Their decision will probably be made public on Friday (October 20).

Bombay Gazette Notifications

On the termination of his special duty, Mr. M. K. Jadhav, to be reposted as District Deputy Collector, Surat, vice Mr. R. S. Vyas reverting.

Dr. H. T. Sorley, Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay is to hold charge of the Office of Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Revenue Department, in addition to his own duties, pending further orders, vice Mr. M. J. Desai, I.C.S., proceeding on leave.

Mr. D. A. Durve, a Magistrate of the Second Class in the district of Thana, is invested, with the additional powers, to record statements and confessions during a police investigation and to authorise detention of a person in the custody of the police during a police investigation.

IMPROVING "GUR".

A programme of research into methods of improving gur, to be financed from funds provided by the gift of Rs. 1 lakh by Rao Bahadur G. G. Shembekar, of Baramati, has been approved by the Government of Bombay. The scheme provides for studies to be carried out at the Agricultural Research Station, Padegaon, into the effect of coagulating, reducing and bleaching agents in sugarcane juice and into the changes which take place during storage. The gift has been constituted as the "Rao Bahadur Shembekar Gur Research Scheme Fund". When a University for Maharashtra is established the Fund will be offered to the University for agricultural research.

English Films In Town

Jack London's Life On Empire Screen

One of the most authentically exciting films reaches the screen of New Empire with the opening of "Jack London" Samuel Bronston's initial production for United Artists. With Michael O'Shea youg sensational star cast in the title role and Susan Hayward, glamorous redhead and young appearing as Charmain London, the author's wife "Jack London" emerges as an action-packed picture.

"CORVETTE K-225"

The Battle of the Atlantic, depicted in its full and actual violence, is dramatized in "Corvette K-225" (Nelson Touch as it was retitled) at Regal. Filmed with the co-operation of the Royal Canadian Navy and produced by Howard Hawks, the Universal picture tells the first screen story of the valiant corvettes, the most effective U-Boat destroyers of World War II.

A GUY NAMED JOE.

"A Guy Named Joe" at Metro a delightful mixture of realism and fantasy is guaranteed to please all movie audiences. In the Air Force any pilot is Va guy named Joe" and is the film, both Spencer Tracy and Irene Dunne, who co-star, are pilots. Tracy is cast as a daredevil and foolhardy pilot whose exploits are the despair of his superior officers and the adorable Ferry Command pilot who loves him played by Miss Dunne. Sensing that his number is up, she begs him to return to the States with her as an instructor. He accedes, but in a last reckless fling he is killed bombing an enemy carrier.

"Old Acquaintance" starring Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins is continued for another week at Excelsior. Also "Home in Indiana" at Eros.

SECOND RUN PICTURES.

"This Land Is Mine", an R.K.O. Radio picture starring Charles Laughton and Maureen O'Hara, is at Palace this week.

Johnny Weissmuller in the most thrilling of all his thundering adventures "Tarzan's Desert Mystery" will be shown at Aurora this week.

Warner Bros' musical "Thank your Lucky Stars", is revived at Strand. Variety and novelty—stars doing the unexpected—characterise the majority of the sequences in which almost all the stars of a major studio are used in active roles.

BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA, GUJARAT AND KARNATAK CONGRESSMEN'S MEETING

Mr. S. K. Patil, General Secretary of the B. P. C. C., writes:

It has been decided to hold an informal conference of prominent Congressmen from Bombay, Maharashtra, Gujarat and Karnatak in Bombay on the 28th and 29th instant. Invitations have been issued to over 150 prominent Congressmen.

The Conference will not be open to the press or the public.

All-India Music Congress

The Nagpur Circle of Music has decided to hold an All-India Music Congress, in the last week of December in Nagpur, representing the different Schools of Music. Over 50 of best musicians of India are expected to take part. The net proceeds will be devoted for the construction of the "Sangeet Kala Mandir".

Enquiries and details can be had from Mr. T. Y. Bhaisalkar, Managing Director, Yashwant Insurance Bureau, Dhantoli, Nagpur, the General Secretary of the Music Congress.

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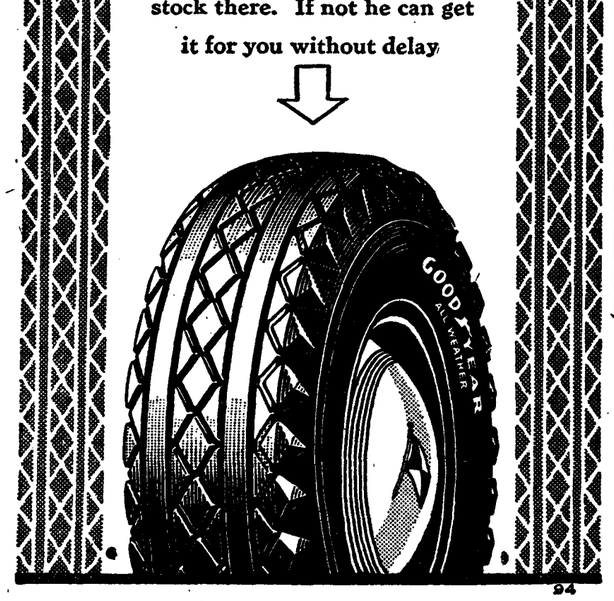

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Main Objective Is To Obliterate Nazi Party And Set Up Equitable Control Of People Before Victory

S.H.A.E.F., Oct. 18.

Plans for military Government of Germany until organised resistance ceases have been completed and are already enforced in a town in Allied hands. They will also be applied by the French.

The main objective will be to obliterate the Nazi party and set up a fair and equitable control of the German people preceding the end of fighting

The Allied Governments will establish a machinery designed to solve longrange economic, social, industrial and political problems in conquered Germany. A vast organisation of trained British and Americans has been set up. The lives and well-being of all foreigners in Germany will be protected and German laws discriminating against race, religion and political creeds will be abrogated. Firearms will be surrendered. Political parties other than the National Socialist Party may be created. The law making the Nazi Flag the official German flag will be abrogated. Cruel and unusual punishment will be prohibited.

Under these rules which were made known to-day by Brigadier General Julian Holmes, General Eisenhower's Deputy Chief of Staff for Civil affairs, German courts will function in accordance with the laws and practices before the Nazi Party came to power. All property belonging to the Governments, or the nationals of the United Nations will be taken into custody for safe keeping.

In certain circumstances Germans may be maintained in certain positions for which they are specially qualified. Newspapers will be suspended until licensed to publish but radio receiving sets are not disbanded and the owner may listen to German propaganda as long it last.

Capital offences include espionage communication with enemy forces, armed resistance, attack upon Allied forces or conduct supporting nations at War with the United Nations or supporting the Nazi Party or its organisation. Unauthorised possession of fire arms or other war material or wireless transmitters, looting, pillage, destruction of records or archives, public or private and sabotage or theft of Allied war material or misleading the Allied forces.

At the moment there is anticipation of the formation of any anti-Nazi organisation which may link up with the Allies in the same manner as the Maquis did and there is no provision to cope with such a contingency which would have to be met should it arise. English will be the official language in official matters relating to the Military Government Trials of war criminals do not come under the jurisdiction of the Military Government. It is regarded as crime if individual German shoot the Nazi and such German should be brought to trial.

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Troops In East Not Forgotten

LONDON, Oct. 18.

Lord Templemore, replying in the Lords to-day to criticisms about the pay and welfare of troops in Indian and the Pacific theatres of war, said that the British Government was not unmindful of these matters.

"I sometimes think," he said, "that the war in Europe is so vast and fills our thoughts daily so much that we are inclined to overlook the immense campaign which is really almost a world war itself which is being carried out in the East"

After describing conditions under which the campaign is being fought Lord Templemore added "one thing to be guarded against all costs is letting officers and men there imagine that they are forgotten men or that their immense campaign is looked upon in many ways as a sideshow"

In this matter nobody has been more frequent in his remarks to the contrary than the Prime Minister. He never fails to stress the vastness and importance of the war in the East The Government have these matters very much at heart and are fully alive to the need to relieve the hardships as much as possible of those very gallant soldiers—the Indian Army and the British Army in India."—Reuter.

LINLITHGOW MAY JOIN WAR CABINET

(From Our Correspondent)
LONDON, Oct 18

I understand that Lord Linlithgow may shortly leave the city.

He is likely to make one of the biggest political comebacks by accepting important post in the Government, it may even mean a seat for him in the War Cabinet.

Prince Bernhard Of Holland Arrested By U. S. Military Police

(From Our Correspondent)
LONDON, Oct. 18

It is learned here that American Military Police have arrested Prince Bernhard of Netherlands and two women who accompanied him. One of them is Mrs. William Fiske, formerly Countess Warwick, for proceeding without permit on the Dutch front in a jeep. It is understood that Mrs. Fiske now in Paris has been assisting Lady Tedder at a soldiers' canteen.

Over 65,000 Yards Of Bombay Cloth Sealed

Over 65,000 yards of cloth were sealed during the last week by Inspectors of the Provincial Textile Controller's Office who visited 262 shops and 71 godowns.

TO DEFEND GERMAN SOIL

HITLER SETS UP "VOLKSSTURM"

Able-Bodied Men From 16 To 60 To Be Enrolled

LONDON, Oct. 18: Hitler has ordered that a German "Volkssturm" be set up in all districts of the Reich to defend "the home soil with all weapons and all means suitable." Gauleiters will command these bodies. All members of the "Volkssturm" are soldiers under army command and will be sent into the field according to Hitler's instructions by Himmler.

The following is the text of the proclamation:

I hereby order firstly that in all districts of the Reich a German "Volkssturm" comprising all able men between the ages of 16 and 60 be set up.

This "Volkssturm" will defend the home soil with all weapons and all means suitable. Secondly, Gauleiters will be entrusted with the establishment and command of the German "Volkssturm."

Thirdly, I herewith appoint the Chief of Staff of S. A. Cheepmann, Inspector of Rifle Training, and the corps leader of the National Socialist Motorised Corps, Kraus Inspector of Motor Technical Training.

Fourthly all members of the "Volkssturm" are soldiers under army command. Fifthly, these orders do not affect the affiliation of members of the "Volkssturm" to other organisations.

Other points in Hitler's proclamation were: Sixthly Reichsführer of S. S. Himmler in his capacity of Commander-in-Chief of the German forces of the interior is responsible for the military organisation instructors, equipment and armament of the "Volkssturm."

Seventhly, the "Volkssturm" will be sent into the field according to Hitler's instruction by Himmler Himmler will issue all military by-laws concerning this decree and Hitler's Deputy, Reichsleiter Bromann, all political by-laws.

Hitler's proclamation ended with the words "the National Socialist Party is doing its supreme duty towards the German people by sending forward in the first instance its organisation as the mainstay of this fight."

GERMAN VOLKSSTURM TO HAVE ITS HQ. IN AUSTRIA

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 18.

"The Supreme Headquarters of the new German "Volkssturm" which will co-ordinate the efforts of local Headquarters staffs will be situated in Salzkammergut in the Austrian province of Styia, according to the Cologne periodical for administrative staffs National Socolizken Gordin."

Salzkammergut, a salt mining district region of mountains with deep caves lies about 25 miles east of Berchtesgaden. The identity of local staffs is to be kept secret.—Reuter.

NAZIS PLAN MASS MURDER OF POLES IN GAS CHAMBERS

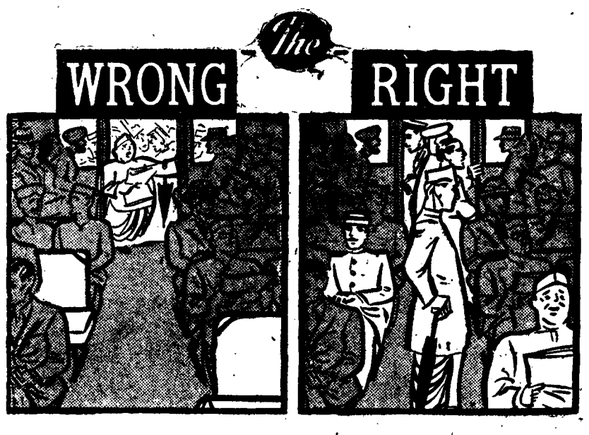
LONDON, Oct. 18.

The Polish Government announced that the Germans have begun mass murder of Poles in gas chambers in the notorious concentration camp of Osweicim, and that 12,400 civilians taken there from Warsaw are among those in danger.

Many thousands of other people from Warsaw have been left by the Germans without any food, help or shelter. Men between 16 and 40 years of age have been carried off towards Germany.

Earlier this month, the Germans were given a clear warning by the British Government that every body involved from the highest to the lowest would be held responsible if they carried out planned mass execution of people in the Oswelcism and another concentration camp. No effort would be spared to bring the guilty to justice.—Reuter.

THERE ARE TWO WAYS



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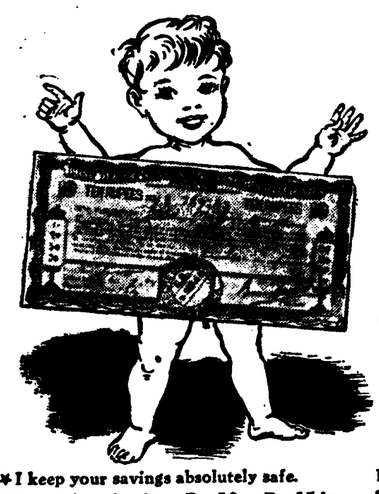

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Cotton Mills Shares Improve

Professional Support In Cotton Market

BOMBAY, October 19.

On the Stock Exchange cotton better support. Cotton market support but met some realising. mills shares improved on opened steady on professional Bullion market was steady with limited supplies and produce market was unofficially closed.

Bombay, Oct. 19

The Share Bazaar was steady today with somewhat improved buying in Cotton Mills shares. Steel shares were narrowly steady with a limited support. Tata Steel Defds opened at Rs. 2062 and steadied at Rs. 2067. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 377 and hardened to Rs. 379. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1727 and advanced to Rs. 1738. Kohinoors opened at Rs. 557 and rose to Rs. 563. Associated Cements ruled steady at Rs. 230. Indore Malwas opened at Rs. 717 and steadily improved to Rs. 730.

In the cash Section there was moderate business. Apollo 3/15/3, Elphinstone 79, E. D. B. 2/15/6, Ord. 14/3/8, Laxmi 1927/8, Model 268/6, Mayer 904/6, Sassoon Cotton 21/4, Tata 60, Central Bank 78, Imperial P. P. 485/10, Reserve 133/8, New India 79, Scindia 30/1, Tata Steel Second Pref. 161/8, Petrol 4/0/3, Tata Chemical 20/11, Indian Iron 39/10, Bengal Steel 31/8.

TEXTILES.

Bombay Dyeing (15) 1737/8 Century (12) 835 Nagpur (10) 390/8. Swadeshi (95) 507 New Great (25) 380 Simplex (14) 244 Kohinoor (12) 564 Colaba (10) 214 Gokak (8) 308 Phoenix (30) 560 Mysore (6) 330 Indian Bleaching (8) 170 Swan (35) 307 Finlay (25) 286/8 Morarji (15) 612/8.

STEEL SHARES

Tata Steel Ord. (23) 380 Tata Steel Dfd. (129/10/3) 2067/8

ELECTRIC

Tata Hydro (4/8) 203/8 Andhra (40) 1792/8 Tata Power (25) 1897/8 Tram Ord. (2/8) 148/8

CEMENT

Associated Cement (7) 230/12

INDUSTRIES

Burma (7/8) 470 Alcock (10) 440 Bellapur (9) 234 Shivrajpur (3/4) 51/8 Steamer (20) 520 Prem. Const. (2/14)—192

MILLS CASH

Apollo (0/6) 4/0/6 Elphinstone (10) 79 I U Ord (1/4) 14/5/6 I U Dfd (0/5) 3/0/9 Indore (111) 725 Ind Mfg (190) 3810 Kurla (15) 196/4 New Kaiser-i-Hind 2510 Khatau (10) 340 Dawn (100) 1150 David (35) 1132/8 New City 25) 370/10 Minerva (20) 240 Bradbury—325 Bharucha Dfd 9/12 Bharat (4) 55 Madhavji (0/8) 18/4 Model (8) 267/8 Laxmi (85) 1330 Vishnu Cotton (74) 468/12 Western (170) 3400 Standard (15) 500 Sholapur (400) 7195 Sassoon Cotton (0/8) 21/4 Hindustan (170) 3850 Meyer Sassoon (20) 205 Edward Sassoon (30) 671/4 Tata (3) 60 Ahmedabad Advance (8) 410 Sassoon Silk (5—0/8) 86/4 New Union (2) 24 Poddar (10) 341/8 Madhusudan (12/8) 428/12 Madhusudan (New) 85 Shrinivas (10) 336/4 Raja Bahadur, Poona (4) 160 Manmad Press 150 Harvey Press 295 Sajjan (45) 425 Osmanshai (15) 295 Ajamshai (25/8 505.

ELECTRIC

Ahmedabad (1/8) 208/12 Surat Old (4/8) 197/8 Karachi (4) 240 Broach (0/5) 11 Ajmer (0/8) 18 Amalgamated (0/10) 16/12 Nagpur (1/12) 48 Poona (4) 305 Bom Suburban (4) 220 Bom. Suburban New Pre 100

BANK SHARES

Reserve (2/14) 133/8 Imperial (60) 1975 Imperial P Paid (15) 487/8 Central (1/8) 78/8 India (3/12) 178/8 Dena (1/8) 70 Union (0/5) 9/8 Baroda (2/8) 132 Habib (3/8) 74 Eastern 105 Jaipur 70/8 International 64 A.B.C. 37 United 84/8

INSURANCE

Oriental (125) 5975 Empire (6) 825 New India (2) 90 Jupiter (1/2) 30 Vulcan (0/10) 16/1 In. Mercantile (3) 67/8 Universal Fire (0/5) 15/12 Vasant 30 Bri. In. General (0/12) 18 Bom. Life —675 Ind. Prud—44

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Consent of the Central Government and of the Government of Bhopal has been obtained to this issue under the Defence of India Rule 94-A and the said Defence of India Rule as applied to Bhopal State. It must be distinctly understood that in giving this consent the Government of India do not take any responsibility for the financial soundness of any schemes or opinions expressed with regard to them.

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AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... ... Rs. 50,00,000

DIVIDED INTO 10,000 SHARES OF RS. 500 EACH

ISSUED CAPITAL ... ... Rs. 25,00,000

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On which Rs. 250 per share are payable on application. Further calls will be made as and when determined by the Directors.

DIRECTORS:

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T. S. Ord. (377), 377/8, 78, 77/8, 79/8, 79, 76/8, 79, 80/8, 80.

T. S. Dfd. (2060), 2060, 62/8, 58/12, 62/8, 66/4, 70, 67/8, 65, 67/8, 72/8, 68/12, 67/8.

B. Dyeing (1727/8), 1725, 28/12, 36/4, 38/12, 33/12, 37/8, 35, 38/12, 33/12, 37/8, 35, 38/12, 40, 36/4, 37/8.

Nagpur (386), 386/8, 88, 87/8, 89, 90/8, 89/8, 90, 91, 90/8.

Gokak (306), 305/8, 7, 8.

Kohinoor (557), 557, 58, 61, 63, 62, 63, 62, 64, 63, 64, 63, 64.

New Great (376), 377, 80 77/8, 80.

Simplex (239), 238/8, 39/8, 42/8, 41/8, 42/8, 43, 44, 42/8, 44.

Swadesh (500), 500, 3, 6, 4, 7, 8, 7.

Cement (228/12), 229, 29/4, 29, 30/8, 30, 30/4, 30/12.

Burma (468/12), 467/8, 70.

Indore (718/12), 717/8, 727/8, 28/12, 30, 36/4, 35.

(2) 119 Pachora (2) 102/4 Heshlarpur (2/4) 100.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Burma New (3) 171/4 Scindia (1+0/4) 30/8 Burma Petrol (0/1/7) 4/0/6 Tata Oil (1/8) 72/4 Mackenzie (7) 139/6 Port Canning (4) 109 Zandu (9) 180 Indian Radio Ord. (15) 456/4 Indian Radio Ord. B. 480 Indian Radio Dfd. (12) 476/4 I. Investment Trust (2/4) 126 Indian Iron (0/6) 39/6 Bengal Steel (0/6) 31/6 Indian Copper (0/1/9) 3/1 B. India C. (0/4) 6/8 Burma Corp (0/3) 4/9/6 New Victoria Mill (0/12) 8/8 Cawnpore Tex (0/3) 13/4 Raja Tex (1) 83 Wimco (7+5) 291/4 Tata Chemical 20/12 Dharamsi Chemical 54 Eastern Chemical 13 Marsland Price (12) 880 Mukund Iron 13/4 Dena Trust 28/4 Alembic (15) 355 Supreme Ind. 175 Jam Wire 151 Bom. Uganda 81.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

Tata Steel 1st (6) 225 Tata Steel 2nd (7/8) 161/8 Tram (7) 71/4 Andhra (7) 1688/12 Tata Power (7/8) 1787/8 Hydro (7) 168/2 Bombay Steamer (6) 362/8 Nagpur (5) 737/8 Vishnu (7) 792/8 Laxmi 302/8 New Great (5/8) 236/4 Elphinstone (7) 120 Bradbury 557/8 Surat Elec. (3/4) 220 Prem. Const. 1st (6/4) 140/8 Prem. Const. 2nd (6/4) 137 Amalgamated (5/8) 147 New Victoria 10/2 Habib 50 Tata Chemical 130.

DEBENTURES.

Andhra (4) 107/8 Sholapur (5) 65.

WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following quotations of the New York Stock Exchange;

	dol.
U. S. Steel	58-5/8
Bethlehem Steel	63-3/8
N. Y. Central R. R. Com.	18-1/4
N. Y. Central 5 per cent 2013	75-1/4
N. Y. Chic. St. Louis Pfd.	91
Chesapeake & Ohio R. R.	47
Chase National Bank	40-1/8
Nat. City Bank of N. Y.	38-1/4
General Motors	64
General Electric	38-1/2
Sun Life Assurance	275
Texas Corp.	45-1/2
Sinclair Oil	13-1/2
Socony Vacuum	12-5/8
Anaconda Copper	27-1/2
Kennecott Copper	35-1/4
Int. Nickel	30-3/8
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	163-3/8
Western Union	44-3/4
Consolidated Edison	25-3/8
Idaho Power	30
Australia 5 p. c. 1955	100

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, Oct. 19.

LONDON—Banks buying 90 Days/s 1/6 1/4 1 & 2 months. 1/6 9/32 3 to 6 months.

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Banks sell T T 1/5 31/32 D D 1/5 31/32.

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An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 13th day of October 1944:—

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

LIABILITIES: Notes held in the Banking Department Rs. 3,91,60,000; Notes in circulation Rs. 957,05,11,000; Total Notes issued Rs. 965,96,71,000.

ASSETS: A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—(a) Held in India Rs. 44,41,43,000; Sterling Securities Rs. 850,32,89,000; Total of A. Rs. 894,74,32,000; B. Rupee Coin Rs. 13,38,34,000; Government of India rupee Securities Rs. 57,84,05,000; Total Assets Rs. 965,96,71,000.

Ratio of Total of A. to Liabilities: 92.627 per cent.

SALES OF TREASURY BILLS.

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Thursday, the 19th October. Total amount offered was Rs. 12,80,75,000 (Rupees twelve crores eighty lakhs seventy-five thousand only). Tenders at Rs. 99-14-3 were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-14-0 allotted approximately 46 per cent. Total amount accepted was Rs. Six Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 0-2-0 per cent annum.

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 24th October, in Bombay up to 11 a.m. (Standard Time) and up to the close of business on Monday, the 23rd October 1944, at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 27th October. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 13th October, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 2,71,00,000 (Rupees two crores seventy-one lakhs only) were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

Gold & Silver

The Bank sold about 60 Bars of Silver today at Rs. 126/4 which influenced scattered selling and quotations were lower than yesterday, but the statistical position remains fairly steady with limited supplies and recently there was improved offtake on account of the Hindu Year. The market opened quiet at Rs. 121/4 for forward Silver and after improving to Rs. 121/12 steadied at Rs. 121/8 and ready Silver was quoted at a premium of Rs. 2 at Rs. 123/8. Forward Gold after fluctuating between Rs. 65/14 and Rs. 65/8 steadied at Rs. 65/10 and ready Gold was quoted at Rs. 67/4.

There was steady flow of buying and forward Gold improved to Rs. 65/14 and forward Silver was placed at Rs. 121/12.

Bombay Cotton

The local cotton market was fairly steady today with persistent support from professional bull operators. It is said that sales of double options which are to be declared shortly also helped the recovery and even on technical considerations that is after a drop of about Rs. 50 some recovery was due. Thus judging the situation as it stands it appears that the present upward move may be continued further in the near future. we think it safe to realise profits in strong markets. The market opened today at Rs. 400/8 for March delivery and advanced to Rs. 403 while May delivery was quoted at Rs. 410/8.

Later on there was active buying from professional quarters which coupled with covering hardened March to Rs. 405. The market finally closed at 6 p.m. as under:—

I. C. C. March	.....	404 12	0
I. C. C. May	.....	413 0	0

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

BOMBAY, Oct 16.

	High	Low	Close
March	399/4	396/8	398/8
May	408/8	406/12	406/12

BOMBAY, Oct, 17.

March	399	396/8	396/8
May	407	404/8	406/12

BOMBAY, Oct. 18.

March	401/8	398/8	400/4
May	409/8	406/8	408/8

COTTON PARITY

BOMBAY, Oct, 19.

Indian Cotton March contract is 635 cent points below New York March at Exchange rate 331.

BOMBAY PRODUCE

BOMBAY, Oct. 19.

The local seeds market was unofficially closed today. It appears that there is no acceptance of groundnuts offers to the British Food Ministry at £33/10. During Moorat about 5,000 tons business was done in groundnuts at quotations varying from Rs. 14/8 to Rs. 14/7. Goa delivery was quoted at Rs. 14/6 and groundnut oil is placed at Rs. 9. Local mills are not buying owing to some objections in the contracts. Castorseeds Nowlakhi were quoted at Rs. 14/10 and Goa delivery was quoted at Rs. 14/12. In Linseed the Ministry is moderately buying. G.I.P. Mogulai Linseed was quoted at Rs. 14 while C. P. and U. P. stood at Rs. 14/4.

3-1/2 P. C. PAPER.

3-1/2 per cent. Government Paper was very steady and quotation was raised to Rs. 91/13/6. There was general good enquiry in Securities market.

AGREEMENT ON DOMESTIC AND WORLD COTTON PRICES

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.

Cotton opened steady but quiet, awaiting details of the reported tentative agreement on the export subsidy programme fixing differentials between domestic and world prices. Price fixing against textile awards met more hedges and local selling with offtake more or less indifferent. There was no trading in months beyond next October up to noon. Latterly the market turned quiet fluctuating narrowly awaiting developments, but held steady with trade interests absorbing scattered hedges. The market closed steady three to two points higher.

NEW YORK COTTON

December 21.86+03 January 21.79+03. March 21.83+02 May 21.80+02 July 21.83+02 Middling Spot 23.38+05

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

December 21.88 January 21.77 March 21.85 Middling Spot 21.50

NOON CALL

December 21.84 March 21.79 May 21.77

LONDON SILVER.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

Spot 25-1/2 Forward 25-1/2 Gold bars fine per oz. £8/8/0.

LONDON WHEAT

LONDON, Oct. 18.

Wheat Rosario (New crop) 39/3 Oct/Nov quoted

Wheat Australian (bulk) 45 Oct/Nov quoted

Wheat Australian (bags) 49 Oct/Nov. quoted

MADRAS SHARE BAZAR.

MADRAS, Oct. 19.

SUGARS AND BREWERIES; Deccan 37 Deccan 89 India Sugar 26.

PLANTINGS: Cochin Malabar 16/13 Chembra Peaks 9/14 High Produce 36/8 Kalpettas 43 Kalasa 15/4 Malaikara 71/12 Ouchterlony 11/5 Thirumbadi 4/10/6 Pulitangode 2/15/6 Vaikundam 19/4 Vetlamalai 27 Velliran 21/8.

TEXTILES: B. and C. Ordy. 30/8 Cambodia 29/8 Coimbatore Spg. 180 Dhanalaxmi 375 Janardhana 142 Kaleeswarar 595 Kothari Tex 30 Mettur 265 Vasantha 297/8.

MISCELLANEONS: And. Cement 115 Hind Trust 20/4 Ind. St. Roll 8 Mysore Chem and Fert 27 Mettur Chem 17/6 Mettur Defds. 7/6 Singareni 20/8 Spencer 13/1.

HAPUR MARKET QUOTATIONS.

HAPUR, Oct. 19.

Wheat Fine 10 Dara 9/12 Arrivals 800 mds. Stock 180. Gram 6/15, Stock 43, Barley 5/8, Stock 122, Peas Khatti 5/11, Stock 140. Arhar 6/7 Stock 133, Bezhar 4/4, Stock 31, Rapeseed 12, Oats 9/4, Maize 4/14, Gur 7/8 to 8/4, arrivals 300 mds. Guwar Maha 5/14, Steady on speculative purchases and limited stock Bardana Mangair 48/14, Chet 49/6, Silver 122/8.

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Wanted an Energetic Asst. Spinning Master for night shift for an up-country mill. Apply sharp with testimonials to Box No. 630, "Bombay Chronicle".

Staff Nurses and Compounders are required in grade Rs. 45-3-75 plus Rs. 10|- Local allowance per month. Apply to the Medical Superintendent, Umaid Hospital, Jodhpur with copies of testimonials (not returnable). (650)

Applications stating qualifications, age, experience, and minimum salary are invited for (1) the posts of Professors (Lecturers) in Mathematics French, and History and Economics and (2) Demonstrators in Biology so as to reach the Principal, M.T.B College Surat, on or before 25th October, 1944. Appointments upto 31st March 1945 in the first instance. 538

Wanted Production Director for well-established Publicity Co. Must be able to produce roughs, copy, supervise the work of Art Department, understand mechanical requirements, and printing. State education, experience and salary, and when free to take up engagement if selected. Box 652 "Bombay Chronicle".

65. ACCOMMODATION WANTED

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Wanted a three room block in Shivaji Park or any other decent locality in the City in exchange for a spacious detached bungalow with terrace and garden, in Malad. Box No. 6336, "Bombay Chronicle."

EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

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Wanted one Chemical and or Pharmaceutical Factory in running order in or near Bombay. Apply with full particulars to Box No. 6334 "Bombay Chronicle."

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Typewriters spareparts imperial, Remingtons Underwoods and Royal, etc In stock and manufactured by Universal Engineering Works Nazirabad Lucknow. Phone No. 519, subsidized by United Provinces Government. 6257

PUBLIC NOTICES

G. I. P. RLY.

THE DIVISIONAL ENGINEER, G. I. P. Railway, Poona, invites tenders upto 14 hrs., on 24-10-44 for supply of broken stone ballast on the Shahabad section at Ghangapur and Gulburga stations.

2. The forms of tender, schedule and conditions of contract, can be obtained from his office on payment of Rs. 2/- per set. This sum will not be refunded. 677

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS in candidates' own handwriting are invited not later than 4th November, 1944, from qualified male candidates domiciled in Bombay Province for temporary typist-clerk's posts in Bombay City on Rs. 50-5/2-90 plus dearness allowance. Applications should show age, caste, qualifications, office experience and typing speed which should not be less than 35 words a minute.

T. E. STREATFIELD,
Commissioner of Excise.
Bombay, 16th October, 1944. 676

APPEAL TO OWNERS OF HOTELS & RESTAURANTS IN BOMBAY CITY & SUBURBS

THE BOMBAY & SUBURBAN HOTELS' FEDERATION is at present handling the question regarding the rate of milk for the new year. Hotel & Restaurant Owners in the City & the Suburbs are therefore requested to postpone fixing the rates of milk for the new year, till the Federation has declared its policy in the matter.

B. V. TAMBE,
Hon. Secretary.
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NOTICE

WANTED smart experienced STENOGRAPHERS (either sex) Pay upto Rs. 125 plus 30 allowances and Matric passed junior clerks from Scheduled Castes, preferably typists, on Rs. 55 plus 28/8/- allowances. Interview Asstt. Controller Genl. of Civil Supplies opposite Metro (Kalbadevi) on 21st Octr. 1 to 4 p.m. 687

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of CHEMICAL ENGINEER to the Jagatjit Distilling and Allied Industries Ltd., Hamira N.W.R. (Kapurthala State). Candidates with high academic and practical experience only need apply. The post is essentially for Post War Projects and applicants must send full details of present and past experiences, their qualifications and experience together with copies of testimonials, English and Continental Papers PLEASE COPY. (657)

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for two Central Service Class I posts of Assistant Directors for the Malaria Institute of India, Delhi. The posts are temporay for the duration of the war and are open to medical and non-medical candidates. Candidates must have special aptitude for malaria research and control work and be able to undertake duties connected with surveys, control measures and teaching. Scale of pay is 625-625-75)/3-850/5-975/5-1150/5-1350. Government servants and retired officers are also eligible. In the case of exceptionally capable candidates a higher initial pay may be recommended to Government. Candidates if called for interview, will have to come to Delhi at their own expense. Applications with copies of testimonials and published work should be addressed to the Director General, Indian Medical Service, New Delhi. The last date for receiving applications which in a previous advertisement was fixed as 16th October, 1944, has now been extended to 4th November, 1944.

B. B. & C. I. RLY.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Anglo-Indians, Indian Christians and Parsees to form a panel of approved candidates to fill the existing and future vacancies in the Grain Shop Department at Bombay, Busar, Baroda, Ahmedabad, Pohad, Ratlam and Mhow Districts in the grade of Rs. 40-2-44-4-50-5-80 plus the usual allowances as admissible from time to time. Anglo-Indians will get an allowance of Rs. 15/- to make their pay to Rs. 55/-.

Minimum qualifications required are Matriculation or Junior Cambridge or equivalent examination. Age should not be less than 18 and more than 25 on 1st November, 1944.

Applications should be on the prescribed form which is available on payment of Re. 1/- plus Postage. Applications, together with copies of certificates, should be sent to the Controller of Grain Shops, B. B. & C. I. Railway, Bombay, by the 15th November, 1944. 667

THE CANARA BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED

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Head Office: UDIPI (S.K.)

ANNOUNCEMENT

A Branch of the Bank will be opened at BOMBAY on 24-10-1944. (1st Floor, Readymoney Mansions, Churchgate St., Fort). The Bank has a net work of Branches and Agencies in all principal cities of India and undertakes Banking business of every decription. 675

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from European and Anglo-Indian candidates to fill a temporary post of Preparatory Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong. Pay —200-320. Age—not more than 30 years. Qualifications—must have taken a full course of training in a recognised training College for the training of teachers for Kindergarten work; must be experienced and musical and be able to take handwork and help with junior games; Preference will be given to a candidate who has had experience of teaching young children. Full details may be seen in Part II of the Calcutta Gazette dated the 7th September, 1944, or may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling, personally or ON SENDING AN ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH A NINE PIES STAMP affixed. Candidates should furnish the following information in their applications:—(1) Name in full, (2) Home address, (3) Present address, (4) Present age according to University certificate, (5) Father's name, (6) Academic qualifications, (7) Experience. They may apply in their own handwriting giving the above information or on the prescribed form. Letters must not be addressed to the Secretary by name. Last date for receipt of applications together with a treasury receipt for Rs. 5, 5 November 1944. Candidates who have applied in response to the advertisement published in September 1944, need not apply again. 679

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FRIENDS PROPERTIES LIMITED, a Company registered under the Indian Companies Act having its Registered Office in Bombay have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise, howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Jehangir Wadia Building, 51, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any will be considered as waived.

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Dated this 19th day of October, 1944.

MANILAL KHER AMBALAL & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys. 685

AUCTION SALES

MENESSE & CO. will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 25th October, 1944 at 3 P.M. (S.T.) at Mazagaon Docks a large quantity of Timber scrap; Old Motor Boat with engine and Dry Dock Gates.

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SALE TO-DAY AT 3 P.M. AT THE ROOM OF THE UNDERSIGNED. "Milner and Godrej" safes, household furniture, bronze 5 lights candelbras, marble pillars and figures, telescope and sundry household articles; about 110 dozen files, leather beltings and by order of the Insurance office concerned 1. Bale African Cotton (water damaged).

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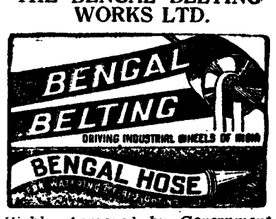

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTIFICATION
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND CIVIL SUPPLIES.
NO. CX2(17).

TRANSPORT OF CIVIL PIECEGOODS FROM BOMBAY.

Experience over the last few months has made it clear that, while certain areas in India are receiving more cloth relative to the total amount of cloth available per head of the population in India, other areas are receiving far less.

2. The Textile Commissioner, on the advice of the Textile Control Board has accordingly decided to introduce a new system under which the despatch of piecegoods from the Bombay Surplus Area to any destination outside that area will be dependent on a merchant or mill producing to the Office of the Textile Commissioner a valid transport permit. Such permits are obtainable by mills from the Millowners' Association, Patel House, Churchgate Street, Bombay, and by merchants from the Chairman, Bombay Cloth Distribution Panel, Mulji Jetha Market (Main Hall).

3. With effect from the 1st of November no registrations for despatch of piecegoods from Bombay to any destination outside the Bombay Surplus Area as defined by the Cotton Cloth Movements Control Order 1943 (i.e. the Province of Bombay and all States included therein except the Western India States, Janjira, Jawhar and Cambay States) will be accepted by the Textile Commissioner. It should be noted that all goods already registered with the Office of the Textile Commissioner will be despatched in the ordinary way. This notification only applies to goods that have not yet been registered with the Office of the Textile Commissioner.

4. The procedure will be that a mill or merchant desiring to despatch cloth out of the area must obtain a permit (Specimen copy attached) from one or the other of these authorities, fill it in according to the instructions detailed on the back of the permit and present it for registration to the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Section CX2(17), Sudama House, Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay, exactly in the same way as merchants and mills previously presented their registration forms.

5. On receipt of the permit the Office of the Textile Commissioner, will in due course advise the mill or merchant concerned that he should present his goods to the transport authority in accordance with the permit on a specific date when these will be accepted by the transport authorities for despatch in the ordinary way by rail, motor transport or steamer.

6. Applicants should study very carefully the instructions printed on the reverse of the Permit and fill in and complete these correctly as all incomplete permits will be returned with consequent delay to the despatcher. Any failure on the part of any merchant or mill to tender the correct quantity of goods at the correct place at the correct time will mean that no other Permits will be issued to the defaulting merchant or mill and in addition such other steps as may be considered appropriate will be taken against the offender.

7. It should be clearly understood that the scheme detailed above applies only to the despatch of civil piecegoods and standard cloth outside the Bombay Surplus Area and not to war orders or yarn. The procedure in respect of civil piecegoods within the Bombay Surplus Area and the despatch of piecegoods covered by war orders will remain as it is at present, i.e., the despatcher must register his goods for despatch in the ordinary way with the Office of the Textile Commissioner.

8. Nothing in this notification applies to yarn.

9. For the time being Permits for despatch of civil piecegoods to the Punjab Deficit Zone will be valid for despatch to Delhi also.

10. It is contemplated that it may shortly be necessary to lay down that only mill packed bales will be permitted to be despatched outside the Bombay Surplus Area, but in order to prevent undue hardship, providing merchants sign the price declaration and declare the contents of each mixed bale, accurately and fully on a separate sheet of paper attached to each permit, in those cases where the bale itself does not bear a texmark number, such bales will be permitted in the first instance to be despatched.

11. It must be clearly understood that no person other than a mill or a registered cloth dealer holding a Bombay Government cloth dealer's licence is entitled to obtain a permit. Every permit holder must sign an undertaking on the counterfoil of the permit that he will not sell such goods in excess of 4% over the ex-mill price stamped on the cloth contained in the bale and described on the permit.

M. K. VELLODI.
TEXTILE COMMISSIONER...
16th October, 1944.

BB (SPECIMEN PERMIT)

Book No. CD STH PART I. Serial No. C.

TRANSPORT PERMIT FOR 1 bale cotton cloth from Bombay to the SOUTH Zone valid for the month of November, 1944.

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the above numbered Transport Permit granted for ONE bale from Bombay to the SOUTH Zone valid for the month of November, 1944, and I undertake to consign this number of bales myself during the current month in accordance with all the conditions detailed on Part II of this permit and not to sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of this permit.

2. I further undertake not to despatch any goods under this permit except in mill packed bales and not to invoice them or collect from the ultimate consignee named in the permit a price in excess of 4 per cent. over the ex-mill price stamped on the cloth.

.....
(Signature of Permit Holder).

Reg. No. Sec. No. Bale 1.
PART II.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND CIVIL SUPPLIES

Book No. CD BB / STH — Office of the Textile Commissioner, Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.
Serial No. C. — Dated 1st November, 1944.

TEXTILE COMMISSIONER'S COPY.
Valid for the month of November, 1944.

TRANSPORT PERMIT FOR COTTON CLOTH

For ONE bale from BOMBAY to any destination in the SOUTH Deficit Zone as defined in the Cotton Cloth Movements Control Order, 1943.

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For Textile Commissioner.

(a) Consignor's name and address in full .....
(b) Telephone No. if any .....
(c) Ultimate consignee's full name, address and Licence No.....
(d) Texmark No. .....
(e) Trade description of cloth .....Coarse* / fine
(f) Railway destination station .....
(g) Railway on which situated.....
(h) Cloth dealer's Licence No.....
.....
(Signature of Permit Holder)
(i) R|R No. .....

*Delete whichever is not applicable.

ON THE REVERSE

INSTRUCTIONS TO PERMIT HOLDER.

Parts II, III and IV should be completed by the permit holder, as shown below and should be handed in at the office of the Textile Commission (Section CX2 (17)|(18)) as application for registration for transport as and when the goods are ready for despatch, before the expiration of the validity of the Permit. The Registration number should be obtained.

The Permit Holder must fill in at:
(a) on Parts II, III and IV his full name and address.
(b) on Parts II and III Telephone No. if any of Permit Holder.
(c) on Parts II and IV the ultimate consignee's name, address and Licence No.
Railway Receipt can be made out to a Bank or to Self, but *here the ultimate consignee's full name and address must be filled in.*
(d) on Parts II and IV the Texmark number of the cloth.
(e) on Parts II and IV, Trade description of cloth viz., (i) Dhoty, (ii) Saree, (iii) Shirting, (iv) Fancy, etc. All Cloth with warp counts 36s and finer shall be classified as "fine", others shall be classified as "coarse."
(f) on Parts II, III and IV the railway destination station.
(g) on Parts II and IV the railway on which the destination station is situated.
(h) on Part II only the Licence No.

On Parts I and II the permit holder must affix his signature in the space provided and the consignor (a) and the Permit Holder must be same party.

Note:—Only the Permit Holder is entitled to despatch the goods covered by this Permit and he must fill in his own name and full address at (a).

The Permit Holder must carry out all the instructions of the Textile Commissioner with reference to the transport of these bales.

PART III.
DESPATCH INSTRUCTIONS
Book No. CD BB / STH
Serial No. C CX2(17)|(18)
Date .....

(a) To.....
Messrs. .....
(b) Tel. No. .....

You are hereby required to deliver before 12 noon the following consignments for despatch from Wadi Bunder|Carnac Bunder on .....1944.

No. of bales .....
to (d) .....
This is subject to cancellation without notice.

for Textile Commissioner.

To Messrs. ABC .....
(This will be posted to the permit holder by the Textile Commissioner).

PART IV.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES & CIVIL SUPPLIES
OFFICE OF THE TEXTILE COMMISSIONER, WITTET ROAD, BALLARD ESTATE, BOMBAY.
Dated.....
Book No. CD BB / STH Serial No. C.
Provincial Textile Commissioner's copy.

Valid for the month of November 1944.
TRANSPORT PERMIT FOR COTTON CLOTH
For ONE bale.
From Bombay to the SOUTH Zone.
(a) Consignor's full name and address. .....
(c) Ultimate consignee's full name, address and Licence No.....
(d) Texmark Number .....
(e) Trade description of cloth and coarse or fine .....
(f) Rly. destination station.....
(g) Rly. on which situated.....
(i) R./R No. .....
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(Station Seal)

To
THE PROVINCIAL CLOTH CONTROLLER
XYZ PROVINCE.
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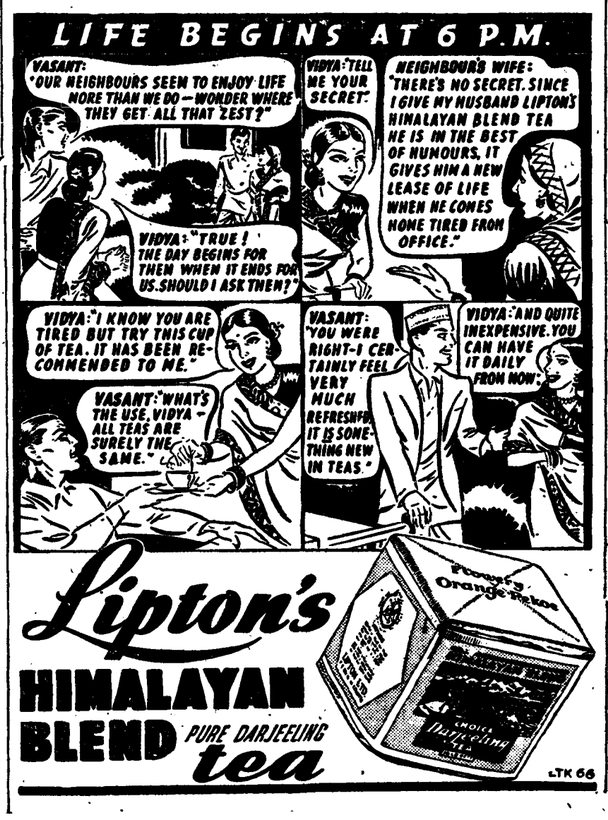
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VIDYA: "TRUE! THE DAY BEGINS FOR THEM WHEN IT ENDS FOR US. SHOULD I ASK THEM?"
VIDYA: "I KNOW YOU ARE TIRED BUT TRY THIS CUP OF TEA. IT HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED TO ME."
VASANT: "YOU WERE RIGHT—I CERTAINLY FEEL VERY MUCH REFRESHED. IT IS SOMETHING NEW IN TEAS."
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VASANT: "WHAT'S THE USE, VIDYA — ALL TEAS ARE SURELY THE SAME."
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